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AEROPLANE IN WAR

Government Will Accept Wright Brothers' Flying Machine.

INVENTORS TO GET $35,000

Great Cross-Country Flight Demonstrated That Aeroplane is Available For Warfare—It Sailed More Than 47 Mile Hour.

(By Wire to the Morning Star.)

Washington, July 31—Orville Wright traveled 47.431 miles an hour in his flight yesterday in returning from the Alexandria end of the course to Fort Meyer. This is the official report made by the trial at the War Department today. His speed to Alexandria from the Fort Myer end of the course was 37.735 miles an hour, making his average 42.583. The Wright brothers will receive $30,000 for their aeroplane, $5,000 of which is [illegible] in speed over t[illegible] ment. Everythi[illegible] said General Alle[illegible] today, and the W[illegible] be accepted by t[illegible]

Orville Wright [illegible] contemplate goin[illegible] to Dayton, Ohio, today, while Wilbu[illegible] them tomorrow. There will now be a week of "repose" in aeronautical affairs, General Allen suggested today, following the active operations of the past month. The General has in mind two of three places near Washington which offer the open space and evenness desirable in a training field for the flying machine. As soon as this location is finally determined upon the Wright machine will be taken there, the shed will be erected for its housing and experiments will begin.

Orville Wright's great flight last evening has made a deep impression on the army and navy officials. They contend that the accomplishment of the cross-country flight demonstrated the availability of the aeroplane for use in warfare.

"The great advantage of an aeroplane over a balloon for use in warfare is that it can fly low over a rough country," said Wilbur Wright today, "thus having objects on the ground in plain view. Orville demonstrated this yesterday. The speed at which he was traveling, with the small exposed surface of the aeroplane would have made him practically safe from the fire of the enemy."

A. M. Herring the Hammendsport, N. Y., inventor who is under contract to furnish an aeroplane to the Government, has written to General Allen, chief signal officer, that he will not be able to deliver the machine until September 1st. His contract time expired today. The signal office officials are opposed to any further extension of time to Mr. Herring and unless some good reason is advanced for changing their present attitude, will so inform him.

NEGRO PEEPED AT WHITE GIRL

Georgia Mob Shot Him To Death For It.

(By Wire to The Morning Star.)

Macon, Ga., July 31.—A special from Wellston, a town 16 miles from here says: Tonight at 6:30 o'clock Sim Anderson, a negro, was taken from a deputy just outside this place and shot to death by a posse of citizens. Last night the negro was caught peeping into the room occupied by daughters of W. H. Bell. Bell took a shot at the intruder, inflicting a slight wound. He was caught this morning and carried to Wellston.

OUTLINES.

The Government Army officials declare that Wright's great cross-country fight in his aeroplane demonstrated its availability for war. Part of the flight was made at more than 47 miles an hour. Wright Brothers will get $35,000 from the Government——In New York yesterday a chinaman supposed to be insane assassinated Dr. Luk Wing, Chinese Vice Consul ——In Germany yesterday Count Zeppelin made a great voyage of 220 miles in his dirigible balloon——In a terrible flood in the province of Chang Chun, Manchuria, 1,000 people have been drowned and 7,000 houses submerged——Hotel Tybee on Tybee Island near Savannah, Ga., was destroyed yesterday and the loss is $65,000 ——At Wellston, Ga., yesterday a posse of white men took a negro from jail and shot him to death——Cornelius C. Cuyler, prominent in the financial affairs of New York city, died yesterday from injuries he received in an auto accident——New York markets: Money on call nominal, time loans very firm but dull; spot cotton five points lower, closing quiet at 12.80; flour quiet and about steady; wheat strong, No. 2 red nominal elevator, No. 2 red now 1.17 3-8 middle August f. o. b., No. 2 hard old 1.16 3-8; corn steady No. 2 old 80 1-2 elevator, No. 2 new 63 1-4 Winter shipment; oats dull, 53 nominal; turpentine firm at 51 1-2; rosin quiet.

45 inch white French lawn 39 cent quality for 25 cents this week at Rehder's. **

DR. LUK WING ASSASSINATED

Chinese Vice Consul in New York Shot in Back—Murderer is Chinaman Who Is Believed to Be Insane. Tragic Act.

(By Wire to The Morning Star.)

New York, July 31.—Dr. Luk Wing, Chinese Vice Consul at New York, a graduate of Lehigh and Yale universities, and married to an American woman, was mortally wounded at his office in a lower Broadway building this afternoon, by a man of his own race, who gives voluble but confused and contradictory reports of himself in pidgin English.

Dr. Wing died tonight in St. Gregory's hospital. He had been shot in the back with a revolver. Mrs. Wing, who is ill herself, was driven to the hospital in time to be at the bedside. Her husband recognized her and smiled before the end came. At no time was he strong enough to make an antemortem statement.

Michael McDonald, for 27 years special watchman at the Chinese consulate, identified the murderer tonight as Wong Bow Cheung, who says he was formerly a steward on the United States battleship Indiana.

[illegible]e man himself who was first [illegible]ght to be a Japanese, gave his [illegible] to the police as Matuda Woung, [illegible] said he lived at No. 1215 Button[illegible] street, Philadelphia, though un[illegible]cently he had been employed as [illegible]ok at Galen Hall, an Atlantic City [illegible]. He came to New York only yes[illegible]ay. He is undersized and cropped[illegible]ired, and wears American clothes.

No rational motive for the murder has developed. McDonald says he believed the man is crazy. During the six years he has been in this country he has been in and out of the consulate at intervals, importuning whomever he could find, for a position, or for a loan.

Nobody witnessed the shooting. Dr. Wing had offices at the fifth floor of No. 18 Broadway. Tennants on the seventh floor say they heard a shot and rushed down stairs to find the vice consul and his assassin scuffling in the hallway at the head of the stairs. The assassin was not caught until he reached the street, when two policemen who knew nothing of the trouble above but were impressed by his agitation and haste, gathered him in. The revolver, with one exploded shell and a misfired shell in it, was found in his coat pocket.

Quong Yick Nam, the Chinese interpreter, who figured prominently in the Elsie Sigel case, tonight quizzed the prisoner who talked freely. His excited and broken answers seem to bear out the theory that he is deranged.

AT PANACEA SPRINGS

Delightful Resort Attracting Many Guests—Facilities are Splendid.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Panacea Springs, N. C., July 31.—There is probably no resort in this State or Virginia, which is attracting the same attention, entertaining as large crowds, and giving as much pleasure and benefit to her guests as Panacea Springs. The Hotel Automobiles bring guests from Littleton after every train, and many private autos come every day from Virginia and Carolina towns.

The last large party was from Greenville, and the cars were driven by their owners, Messrs. White, Gregory, and Wooten, bringing their wives and a large party of young people. The distance of nearly 90 miles was made quite satisfactorily without a single mishap.

Other recent automobile parties are from Henderson, Roanoke Rapids, Weldon and Emporia.

The capitol-to-capitol route is attracting much attention throughout this section, and all look forward to its completion when Panacea Springs will be the principal stop-over between Washington and Raleigh and Pinehurst. Surely a more attractive place than "Panacea" could not be found for the tourists between the North and Pinehurst.

While buggy and horseback riding are popular with guests; yet, the automobiles of the Panacea Auto Transit Company are hourly engaged for special parties who delight in the good road between Panacea Springs and Littleton and the surrounding country.

The past week has been one of unusual enjoyment here. There have been three dances attended by, not only the "Panacea" guests, but by many young people from Littleton. The dancing hall is spacious and breezy, and the music delightful.

The month of August is always the banner month at delightful "Panacea," and large bookings have already been made.

The completion of the hotel early in June affords double the accommodations of the previous season. North Carolinians, as well as the people of tidewater Virginia, are beginning to appreciate this splendid resort, which has been made so accessible by the splendid train service of the Seaboard Air Line, in connection with the Panacea Auto Transit Co.

Remember.

the date, August 10th. Junior Order American Mechanics, Carolina Beach. Fun for all. **

10 cent white lawn, 30 inches wide, book fold, fine quality, only 7 1-2 cents at Rehder's big store, Fourth street bridge. **

ADOPTED THE REPORT

Feature of the Tariff Bill Disposed of in the House.

REPUBLICANS WILD WITH JOY

Conference Report Passed by Close Vote—Minority Leader Clark Denounces Bill—Against Party Pledges.

(By Wire to The Morning Star.)

Washington, July 31.—The House tonight adopted the conference report on the tariff bill 195 to 183. The Republicans shrieked in their delight over the final outcome and Chairman Payne was the central figure of an admiring and congratulatory crowd of colleagues. Twenty Republicans voted against the report, two Democrats for it.

The vote was the climax of an 11-hour session, conducted through most oppressive heat, but enlivened by a dozen or more speeches of more or less fiery nature. The galleries were filled.

The day opened with what appeared to be part of an organized filibuster against the conference report when Mr. Mondel, Wyoming, demanded the reading of the lengthy document. This proceeded for about an hour and a half, when with about two-thirds remaining to be read, Mr. Mondell permitted the debate to go on.

Chairman Payne defended the report and appealed to his Republican colleagues to support it, prophesying, at the same time, that when the bill was enacted into law, it would meet the approval of the country.

Mr. Clark, minority leader, and many of his colleagues, denounced the bill and chastised the Republicans for failing, they alleged, to revise the tariff downward and thus keep their party pledges.

Perhaps the most sensational speech of all was by Mr. Mann, of Illinois, Republican, who said he would vote against the report, provided the rates on pulp and print paper as reduced by the House, were not retained. He denounced that particular schedule and he declared that Canada could take such action regarding pulp wood and print paper as to place an almost prohibitory price upon paper in this country.

At 9:07 o'clock the House, with the conference report ready to be messaged to the Senate for action, adjourned until Monday noon.

Such revision downward as had been, said Mr. Underwood, Alabama, a minority member of the Ways and Means committee was in the interests of the great corporations. That was conspicuously so, he explained, in the placing of iron ore and hides on the free list.

"I have just been looking over the report," interposed Mr. Hill, of Connecticut, "and I find most of the reducions of the steel schedule have brought the duties below the rates of the Wilson."

"Since the Wilson bill was passed," replied Mr. Underwood, "there has been a revolution in the production of iron and steel. What was a low rate when the Wilson bill was passed, is a high rate today."

Mr. Underwood inquired why, when the President was urging a revision of the tariff downward, he did not advise revising the woolen schedule downward and he questioned the practicability of the maximum and minimum clause.

Wood pulp and print paper formed the schedule of a lengthy speech by Mr. Mann, of Illinois. His announcement that because of the rates fixed by the conferees in their products he would vote against the conference report, moved the Democrats to loud applause. Under the maximum and minimum clause he said, the charge of $1.67 a ton on wood pulp would be increased to $6.67 a ton. "That minimum," he exclaimed, "is as sure to go into effect before Canada and this country, as that God made little apples, unless Canada removes her restrictions on the exportations of the pulp."

Should Canada prohibit the exportation of wood pulp, Mr. Mann argued, Maine and New Hampshire will raise the price of pulp wood and print paper would go up. He declared that instead of revision of the tariff reducing the price of print paper the threat of three cents a pound or 60c a ton would be past history.

Mr. Malby, New York, asserted that the Illinois member was placing his personal judgment against that of every man who had tried to build up the paper industry in the United States.

Although paper making was fourth among our industries he said the returns were miserable. He predicted that if the bill passes there would be no more American money put into paper manufacturing in the United States.

Mr. Clayton, Alabama, said a parallel case was jute and jute buts, which were free and out of which cotton bagging was made and yet a tariff was levied on cotton bagging for the profit of the manufacturer.

Mr. Randell, Texas, declared that none of the iron and steel rates were justified from the standpoint of protection and the wool schedule was a fraud.

Mr. Clayton, of Alabama, denied that the country would accept the tariff bill as a satisfactory piece of legislation as Mr. Payne directed.

When 8 o'clock arrived nearly every member was in his seat, Chairman Payne by a clever parliamentary move was prompt to make a motion to recommit the report to the conference committee and upon that motion demanded the previous question.

Mr. Mann, alert to the situation, got enough support among the Democrats and Republican "insurgents" to force a roll call.

This resulted ayes 196, noes 181, and the previous question was ordered. The roll again was called on the motion to recommit. As Mr. Payne had planned the motion was lost but only by the close vote of 186 to 191. Then came the crucial test, the vote on the conference report itself.

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DESTRUCTIVE QUAKE

Mexico City Shaken at Intervals Throughout Day.

NUMEROUS BUILDINGS RAZED

Frightened People Again Thrown Into Panic by Shocks More Severe Than on Previous Day. Fire Does Damage.

(By Cable to the Morning Star.)

Mexico City, July 31.—Mexico City was again severely bumped by an earthquake today. A shock more severe than any yet experienced rocked the city for one minute and 40 seconds. The first faint swaying came at 12:43 P. M., but the nervous people needed nothing more than the slightest tremble to send them pouring out.

The shock grew in intensity at the end of the first 30 seconds and suddenly shifted the direction of its motion.

No great damage was done, though many walls weakened by the three shocks of yesterday fell while innumerable public and other buildings were cracked.

The national palace suffered considerably as also the war office, chamber of ambassadors and other sections of the handsome buildings. The cathedral was one of the large edifices whose walls suffered openings.

Reports from Guerrera declare that in Acapulco the largest and strongest buildings were razed by yesterday's tremors and that there has been property loss throughout that section. At Acapulco the custom house with its warehouse, the military barracks and a number of other prominent buildings were absolutely destroyed, while the municipal palace suffered seriously.

Thirteen earthquakes within 30 hours have been registered by the government seismograph.

From the time the earth began to wave in the valley yesterday at 7:14 o'clock until the quivers ceased at 12:45 o'clock today, Mexico City was shaking every two or three hours. Six upheavals have been of such strength as to be felt by the people, while seven have been felt only by the sensitive instruments.

El Paso, Texas, July 31.—A special from Vera Cruz, Mexico, says that a serious fire followed the recent earthquake at Midalgotitlan. The water mains were broken by the earthquake and the fire breaking out in the poorer quarter of the town spread rapidly. Only a change of wind saved the town. A hundred and fifty families are homeless.

The city of Acapulco, which was almost destroyed yesterday by an earthquake and tidal wave, have been suffering all Summer from an epidemic of fever.

DICKERSON ON STAND.

Defendant in Asheville Bank Fraud Case Examined.

(By Wire to the Morning Star.)

Asheville. N. C., July 31.—Joseph E. Dickerson was the target of the government's guns today in the Breese-Dickerson Bank case. District Attorney Holton endeavored to show that after the firm, known as J. E. Dickerson & Company, had been succeeded by J. E. Dickerson, and after the latter took over the business and assets of J. E. Dickerson & Company were signed in 1897, shortly before the failure of the First National Bank, by E. C. Jones and endorsed by J. E. Dickerson & Company, in the handwriting of Dickerson, and that money was secured on these notes.

Mr. Holton contended that the endorsement of J. E. Dickerson & Company was absolutely worthless; as in July 1897 there was no such firm or company as J. E. Dickinson & Company.

PARDON FOR JESSE MASON

Sentenced in 1905 for Highway Robbery—Southern Pines Bank Affairs—Governor Off to Camp Glenn—Other Notes.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Raleigh, N. C., July 31.—A pardon, conditioned on good behavior, is granted by Governor Kitchin for Jessie Mason sentenced in June 1905 to six years in the State's prison for highway robbery in New Hanover county. The pardon is because the sentence had been made six years on the theory that Mason was the leader. Developments seem to have shown that he was not.

Two other boys were given only 12 months, hence the pardon after three years' service. Governor Kitchin makes the following statement as to the pardon:

"Prisoner and two others were convicted of highway robbery. The other boys were sentenced to 12 months imprisonment each. Prisoner being older than the others, was sentenced for six years on the theory that he was the leader. The prosecuting witness asks for his pardon and writes that he does not think the prisoner was the leader. The solicitor also thinks one of the other boys was stronger minded than prisoner. The judge and the attorney who aided the solicitor and 11 of the jurymen (the other being dead) recommended pardon. His record in prison is good, having been there for over four years. I therefore pardon the young man on condition that he remain law abiding and of good behavior."

The Corporation Commission and officers of the Citizens' Bank and Trust Co., of Southern Pines, are still unable to locate the missing cashier, George A. Kimball, who left for his vacation July 17th, ostensibly for York Beach, Me. State Bank Examiner J. K. Doughton, in charge of affairs of the bank, is making a complete investigation and keeping the Commission advised as to developments. Thus far the shortage remains at $15,000. A preliminary report of the condition of the bank made by Assistant Examiner W. L. Williams shows $32,786 deposits and $12,591 due from banks and bankers. Drafts on banks represented to be due most of the latter amount have been returned unhonored with statements that there are no funds there due to the Southern Pines bank. The last regular report of the bank to the Commission, made June 23, showed $20,800 subject to check, a gain of $11,986 to the time the bank was closed. The resources of the bank as reported by Assistant Examiner Williams in his preliminary investigation are loans and discounts $25,448; overdrafts, $89.24; stocks and bonds and mortgages $2,625; banking house, furniture and fixtures, $4,098; due from banks and bankers $12,591; cash items $3,867. Steps will be taken at once to either have the officers and directors make good the shortage and continue the bank, or have a receiver appointed and the affairs of the bank wound up. The directors are C. B. Grant, president; C. Patch, W. F. Junge, A. L. Newcombe and G. A. Kimball, the latter being the missing cashier.

Governor Kitchin left today for Morehead to inspect the Second regiment in Camp Glenn. With him were Col. A. J. Field, private secretary, and his two sons, Alex L. Field and Rutledge Field.

Secretary Elias Carr, of the State Department of Agriculture, says that indications from correspondence received in the department is that crop conditions the State over will hardly show more than 50 per cent. of an average crop.

That the city of Durham must pay 60 per cent. of the cost, the North Carolina and the Southern Railway Companies 25 per cent, and the Seaboard 15 per cent., is the ruling of the Corporation Commission in the petition of Durham for the railroad companies to be compelled to construct a subway at the Alston railroad crossing. The cost is to be $26,000.

President S. S. Mann, of Mattamuskeet Railroad Co., conferred with the Council of State today relative to approval on the part of the Council of a bond issue proposed by the railroad in which the State owns stock through compensation for convict labor. Final action was deferred to August 12, owing to the absence of several members of the Council.

A reward of $100 is offered by Governor Kitchin for the unknown murderer of Miss Lydia C. Newman, in Guilford county last week. It was one of the most outrageous crimes committed in the State in a great while.

Wake county is to have a rural free delivery re-arrangement of routes that increases the number from 36 to 43 and that will serve 6,274 families instead of 5,270 and will traverse 1,021 miles instead of 823 miles of route. The change will mean the discontinuance of a number of minor postoffices in the county. The county authorities furnished clerical help for a government representative in preparing an accurate map of Wake county roads that will prove invaluable for general county use in addition to meeting the requirements of the postal authorities. There are only five counties in the State that have as yet secured what is known as complete "county free delivery," these being Mecklenburg, Buncombe, Gaston, Cleveland and Alamance.

For mosquito nets, hammocks, bath suits, and straw suit cases, go to Rehder's. **

FORGE TO THE LEAD

Three Straights From Goldsboro Put Sailors in First Position.

HOWARD AGAINST BUSSEY

Giants Again Blanked—Raleigh and Rocky Mount Split Even on Doubleheader—Fayetteville Won From Wilson.

Results Yesterday.
Wilmington 4, Goldsboro 0.
Wilson 1, Fayetteville 6.
Raleigh 4, Rocky Mount 3.
Raleigh 3, Rocky Mount 4.

Where They Play Tomorrow.
Rocky Mount at Fayetteville.
Wilson at Goldsboro.
Wilmington at Raleigh.

Standing of the Clubs.

	W.	L.	Pct.
Wilmington	35	29	.547
Wilson	32	27	.542
Raleigh	34	29	.540
Goldsboro	31	29	.517
Fayetteville	25	33	.431
Rocky Mount	25	35	.417

With Bussey and Howard the opposing pitchers and handicaped by what the bugs are confident was the rankest umpiring seen here this season, Wilmington made it three straights by again closing the door upon the heels of Goldsboro by the score of four to nothing yesterday afternoon.

Brodie was put out of the game in the fourth inning for a righteous protest against a decision calling Ashton out at the home plate, which would have made the score five to nothing. The hitting of Nichols and the backstop work of Kite divided honors with Howard's phenomenal work on the slab.

By winning the game yesterday, Wilmington made it five out of six during the week and the Sailors now find themselves heading the League on a winning stride with indications that they will continue to lead to the end of the season, even with the handicap of having Ross and Smith temporarily out of the game. Yesterday's exhibition was a great one and was Wilmington's from start, though both teams played rather ragged at times. Howard was a tower of strength in the box, though, and the fans at all times felt safe. In appreciation of the victory a handsome purse was raised in the grandstand and presented to Messrs. Howard and Kite and the other players on the team.

The first looked billious after Smith was out second to first. Murphy hit safely past short; Steinbach hit to third and was safe on fielder's choice, Murphy going to third on Nichols' error, but Steinbach was out attempting second and Crockett was out second to first. Nichols started the first for Wilmington with one of his several bingles over second, but after Guerrant fouled to catcher and Brodie was flying to short, Nichols was out attempting second.

Goldsboro's second was a fly to left by Doak, centre for Gettig and Pritchard, short to first. Wilmington, Levy out at first unassisted, while Sharp fanned and Jayes flew to short.

In the third after Fulton flew to short, Bussey singled to Jayes' territory but Smith fanned and Murphy flew to centre. For Wilmington Kite clouted one to centre, but was forced by Ashton at second; Howard flew to centre and Nichols followed with bingle No. 2 to left for two cushions and Ashton was called out at home on a purely unsanitary decision by Umpire Thompson while Brodie was out of the game for a righteous protest of the decision. Manager Gwaltney gave notice of his protest to League officials, but will probably not now take it up.

Fifth—Pritchard flew to left, Fulton and Bussey fanned. Wilmington: Ashton fanned, Howard and Nichols flew to right.

Sixth—Smith out third to first, Murphy flew to short, Steinbach walked on bad judgment of balls and strikes and Crockett singled to right but was forced at second. Wilmington: Guerrant was safe on error of second, Grainger singled to right, Levy hit to second forcing Grainger but on wild throw of short to first for a double, Guerrant scored; Sharp flew to left, Jayes forced Levy at second.

Seventh—Gettig and Pritchard fanned furiously, Fulton singled to centre but Bussey made the third whiff and all were out. For Wilmington Kite was safe on bad throw of short; Ashton and Howard sacrificed him each a peg and Nichols batted out safety No. 3 and Kite scored; Guerrant sent another safety into centre and Nichols went to third, Guerrant stealing second, but Grainger flew to right.

Eighth—Smith was safe on error of Sharp, going to second on wild throw to first; Murphty sacrificed him but Steinbach popped out to Kite on extremely difficult catch right over the telegraph table and Crockett fanned. Wilmington: Levy out second to first, Sharp short to first; Jayes safe on error of short; Kite hit long for two bases and Ashton hit to Gettig too hot to handle, Jayes scoring; Howard popped out to catcher.

Ninth—Doak flew to Jayes on beautiful catch that cut off at least two

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DRIVING CAPITAL AWAY.

We have had a little fun over some of the fool bills introduced in the Georgia Legislature, but in all probability some of the Legislators have been taken too seriously. It must be remembered that some wags get elected to the Legislature and some of them introduce bills just to have a little merriment during otherwise dull proceedings. The member who introduced a bill to prohibit women and girls from riding horseback, unless they sit on the saddle in the old way, may have been trying to be funny but if he wasn't no very great amount of harm would be done except to reap a harvest of ridicule at his own expense.

However, some men with a lack of good judgment and a shortage of horse sense get into the Legislature and for cheap notoriety or demagoguery introduce measures of a most pernicious and harmful character. Some of these kind of bills have been sprung in the Georgia Legislature, but that body as a whole must have in it a majority of sensible Georgians who will defeat such dangerous legislative efforts. Nevertheless, even the introduction of harmful bills have a tendency to unsettle confidence and actually do harm when the features are published broadcast over the United States and are commented upon by the press as if they were going to be adopted by the Legislature. Nine times out of ten they will have no chance to become law, but some of them do a great deal of mischief in a general way.

One of these dangerous bills now pending in the Georgia Legislature is a measure which proposes to impose a special tax upon so-called foreign loans in the State of Georgia. In other words, it is a bill to drive capital away from the State and make money hard to get by people who want to borrow it to develop the great resources of the State or to start some legitimate business that will add to the wealth of the State and produce taxable values of a genuine character. The bill is of such a serious nature that the Atlanta Journal felt called upon to point out its danger, and the position of that paper must meet with hearty approval, for the reasons assigned why it should be snowed under are cogent and convincing. Says the Journal:

"The threat to impose a special tax on foreign loans in the State of Georgia is already having its legitimate effect, and it may be taken for granted that unless the proposed measure is definitely abandoned within a short time the business interests of the State will feel the effects still more forcibly. The foreign insurance companies and other moneyed institutions which have heretofore made loans in Georgia at a low rate of interest have no idea of attempting to continue business in Georgia if they are to be made the victims of arbitrary discriminations and already they are signifying their intention of withdrawing from the State if this special tax is imposed upon them. The practical effect, therefore, will simply be to drive this necessary capital from the State, restrict the resources upon which the growth and development of Atlanta and other cities have been able to depend for so long, and sacrifice the taxes which would otherwise be paid into the public treasury in the form of a levy on the new buildings and industrial enterprises which would be financed by these loans. Many of our readers are in a position to cite specific instances in which the large insurance companies, for example, have adopted a waiting attitude in regard to the renewal of existing loans, and a positive refusal to negotiate new business until this threatened legislation has passed away. * * * The Georgia Legislature did a bad day's work when it even considered such a proposition as this tax on foreign loans, and it should be negatived with out question or delay."

The Journal's demand for the defeat of this vicious bill should be heeded by the Legislature. To deter outside capital from coming to a State will result in restricting the field for borrowing money and will place a premium on usury as well as retard progress and development along many lines.

North Carolina needs millions of capital to develop its untouched and boundless resources, and we will be glad to get all that any sap-headed Cracker wants to drive away from Georgia.

An exchange says Germany has spent more for aviation than any other Government. However, we'll bet that the high flyers in North Carolina spend more than the German Government. It wouldn't hurt for 'em to cut down expenses.

A SECTIONAL TARIFF.

Mr. Thomas J. Pence Washington correspondent of the Raleigh News and Observer telegraphed his paper on Friday night:

"Democrats had their first opportunity today to inspect the report of the tariff conferees. They are indignant over the discriminations against the South, and are ready to give expression to their views with respect to the various schedules, which are uniformly higher than those in the existing Dingley law."

The Star is in a position to join in the indignation. We have appealed early and often for fair treatment for the South's interests. We had a reasonable doubt that the South would be treated with injustice when it came to any equitable distribution of protection. We contended all along that if we were to have any kind of a tariff bill its benefits or its burdens should have no appearance of inequality or discrimination about them.

A few of our North Carolina contemporaries attempted to show that such a contention was not Democratic. What have they to say now that the South has actually been discriminated against? What have they to say that New England gets the cake and the South gets the crumbs? Don't all speak at once.

The South is the hit dog and we can howl for her, but the editors who were unreasoning and misguided critics of demands for a square deal for the South, can't howl for fear of the inconsistency of the thing. They are now not in a position to condemn a sectional tariff act.

SOUTHERN COLONIZATION.

The Star this morning carries an illustrated and interesting story by Mr. W. E. Lawson of the paper's staff, under the title of "Southern Colonization."

The article specially exploits the several colonization schemes of Messrs. Hugh MacRae & Co., of Wilmington, and it affords a fine object lesson for this branch of Southern development. The story furthermore emphasizes the unrivaled possibilities for agriculture in Eastern North Carolina as demonstrated by settlers representing several foreign nationalities. The illustrations are from actual photographic scenes in the colonies, and the story of the methods, the yields and the achievements of the communities is both entertaining and instructive.

The story speaks for itself and it is only necessary for us once more to commend the enterprise of Messrs. MacRae & Co., along a line of development that must sooner or later be of immense potentiality in the upbuilding of North Carolina and other Southern States.

Harry Thaw's position today is all the more pitiful because the young woman for whom he became a murderer, spent a fortune to escape from execution in the electric chair and now languishes in a lunatic asylum, has turned her back on him and is taking steps to secure a divorce from the man who made such a terrible sacrifice for her. Thaw furnishes a horrible example to the young man who is making tracks in wayward paths.

It is given out from Washington that Senator Aldrich does not read the newspapers. Probably his reason is that he wouldn't take chances on having his sonscience aroused by editorials showing that a tariff tax that makes a poor fellow's living come high is a sin against humanity.

Now comes a Harvard professor who declares that he "converses with spirits." In North Carolina the time Has Been when spirits would bring on a lot of talk among men gathered around a table with the spirits sitting on the table.

"Treat the candidate kindly", urges the Nashville American. There's nothing with which to treat him, so the candidate will have to take the will for the deed.

The Georgia legislator who is introducing bills that restrict the privileges of the girls must be a miss-anthrope.

Many freaks are mistaken for geniuses by some people who don't know the difference.

The Kentucky colonel, with his mint and concomitants, is now a tradition of the near past.

In order to have the "blues" less a girl should help ma more.

CURRENT COMMENT.

—We understand that the Wrights are going to name their aeroplane The Cotton, because it won't stay up after it rises.—Anderson (S. C.) Mail.

—A man has been found who is named Knox Smith. You may safely bet he is a Joe Brown man, for they all dearly love to knock Smith.—Augusta Herald.

—The important announcement is made that a direct steamship line between Panama and Charleston will be established in the fall. At first there will be only one boat every nine days, handling passengers, mail and frienght. Later on, if the business warrants it, better service will be inaugurated. On the other hand, if the business does not warrant the one boat the line will be discontinued.—Greenville (S. C.) News.

—The Wilmington Star says: "Another thing that makes us glad we live in North Carolina is that we don't have to stand for anything like the Tucker-Mann wrangle that characterizes the Democratic primary campaign now stirring up the natives of Virginia." Which may be true right at present, but that fight in this State last year was about as bad as the present one in Virginia. We don't believe the Virginians excel the North Carolinians in anything, not even in 'mud-slinging.'"—Durham Sun.

—The Wilson Times quotes Mr. Thomas C. Davis as saying that Daniel Massenburg, who lived in Pitt county to the age of 122 years, attained to older age than any other American. Mr. Davis quotes an English insurance journal as authority. And Mr. Massenberg never hears of germs, hookworms, Fletcherism, Dio Lewis, Dr. Kellogg, the raw food propaganda or the dangers of eating meat, or of prohibition. He doubtless "ate when he was hungry and drank when he was dry," and didn't shorten his life worrying about proteins, germs and the like—probably had never heard of either.—Raleigh News and Observer.

—Charlotte is to be considered a more than ordinarily fortunate town, in having secured the next annual convention of the United States League of Building and Loan Associations. May 22 is the date set for the opening of this event. This national convention will be held in conjunction with the convention of local associations, and will bring men prominent in finances to Charlotte from all parts of the Union. It is a tremendously important event and will be a valuable and far-reaching advertisement for Charlotte.—Charlotte Chronicle.

TWINKLINGS.

—"Your grandfather used to be my grandfather's hired man." "Yes, and your grandfather died owing him a year's wages. Eh, what?"—Cleveland Leader.

—Mary Jane (to the gentleman with the bow legs, who has called to see her master)—For 'eving's sake, sir, do stand back from the fire; yer legs is warping most 'orrible.—Leslie's Weekly.

—"A play," remarked the theatrical manager, "is like a cigar." "What's the answer?" inquired the innocent reporter. "If it's good," explained the manager, "everyone wants a box and if it's bad no amount of puffing will make it draw."—Bystander.

—Pastor—I was sorry for your wife during the sermon, doctor. She had such a dreadful fit of coughing that the eyes of the whole congregation were fixed upon her. Doctor—Don't be unduly alarmed. She was wearing her new hat for the first time.—Fliegende Blaetter.

—"Now, children," commanded the austere instructor in advanced arithmetic, "you will recite in unison the table of values." Thereupon the pupils repeated in chorus: "Ten mills make a trust. Ten trusts make a combine. Ten combines make a merger. Ten mergers make a magnate. One magnate makes the money."—Chicago Daily Socialist.

—Mr. Phan (roaring from the top of the stairs)—Mildred! What is that young man doing down there so late? Mildred (sweetly)—He's just doping out how the teams will finish for the pennant. Mr. Phan (mollified)—All right. Tell him to take his time, not overlooking past performances and the possibility of a slump, and when he gets done he can compare with my list behind the clock on the book-case. —Puck.

—Raleigh News and Observer: Mr. S. S. Mann, of Swan Quarter, president of the Mattamuskeet Railroad Company, yesterday appeared before the Council of State in behalf of that company upon authority of the Board of Directors, requesting the approval of the Governor and Council of State to a proposed bond issue for the purpose of completing and equipping that railway. The meeting was held in executive session, and the only information made public was that given out after the meeting by Governor Kitchin as follows: "The matter was fully discussed but as there were present only two members of the Council of State and because of the importance of the proposition it was deemed advisable to defer action until a full meeting of the Council of State could be had, and Tuesday, the 17th day of August, was fixed as the time for the Council of State to further hear and consider the matter." The Mattamuskeet Railroad is the road from Belhaven to Fairfield upon which a force of convicts has for about 18 months been working, and in which the State owns a majority of the paid-up stock, having received this as compensation for the labor of the convicts it has furnished under an act of the Legislature. It is because of this that the State has to be consulted and its agreement obtained before there is an issue of bonds.

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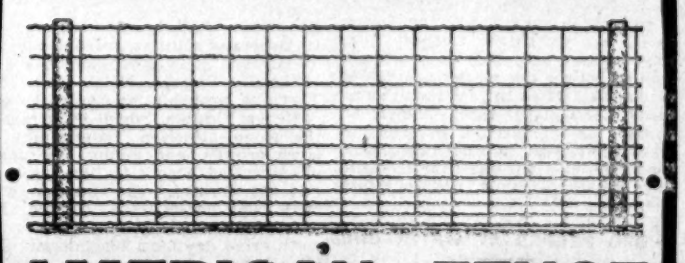

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THE WEEK AT LUMBERTON

Improvements at Seaboard Station—Fine Railroad Service—News, Personal and General Notes of Robeson County.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Lumberton, N. C., July 31.—It is a great pleasure to note the different improvements being made at the Seaboard station here. During the past few weeks, 180 car loads of clay and sand have been hauled into the yard between the freight and passenger depots in order to bring all the tracks more on a level with the main line and at the same time avoid the ponds of water which were always present after a rain. This week the water tank, which stood on the north side of the track just west of the passenger station, has been moved across the track, and is now located on the south side and is thereby removed out of the way of people who have anything to do with the cars, either getting off or on. The site where the tank stood is to be filled in, which will add much to the appearance and convenience of the yard at that particular point. The town should do its part and keep everything in good shape in that section, and thereby aid the railroad in making things attractive and inviting to people coming to Lumberton. The Seaboard has always done what it could for Lumberton, and while at times there was considerable complaint about the service given here, it was the best that could be done with the great rush of business to be handled, and perhaps some of those employed by the company to attend to business were not doing the work for which they were being paid. Over 20 years ago, when Lumberton was almost wiped off the map by fire, and the Seaboard was the only railroad in this section, an order was issued and carried out, to put all building material for rebuilding purposes to Lumberton at half rate. By that one act the Seaboard saved the people of Lumberton hundreds of dollars which it could have collected just as easy as what it did collect. The Seaboard has been a servant in this section for the past half century, and while we rejoice to have more railroad facilities, it is out nature to love an old servant of any kind.

In reply to many inquiries it is stated that the boarding house conducted by Mrs. Caroline Jones prior to her death will be continued by her daughter, Mrs. Wishart, for the present.

It is expected that the Farmers Institute which meets here Monday, will be attended by a great gathering of people from all parts of the county.

Mr. Alex Freeman, who has been visiting in this county for several days, left yesterday morning for his home in Waco, Texas.

Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Freeman will leave Monday evening for West Virginia, where they will spend some time with relatives.

If some means are not adopted for the protection of fish in the streams in this section it is only a question of a very short time when there will be no fish here. Yesterday we saw fishermen offering for sale several bunches of fish that were absolutely too small to bite at a hook. It is to be hoped that the next Legislature will enact a law prohibiting the catching of fish in Robeson county streams in any way for several years.

The passing away of Mrs. Caroline Jones, who died Tuesday night of this week, removed from Lumberton another of its oldest and most honored people. Mrs. Jones was the last member of one of the oldest families which has ever lived here. Having been born and spending her entire life here, she saw Lumberton grow from a small insignificant village to what is now one of the most beautiful and progressive towns in North Carolina.

It seems to us that anyone who would kick at the present railroad service in this section, would kick at his shadow in the moonshine. A person can leave Lumberton at 5:30 A. M., go to Raleigh via Hamlet, spend an hour and a half in that city and return to Lumberton at 6:30 P. M., coming by Fayetteville. The trip to Asheville can be made almost between sunrise and sunset with only one change of cars. The trip from Danville, Va., can be made in 7 hours and 20 minutes, and we suppose the same time can be made going to that place. Passengers can leave here at 8:40 P. M. and arrive in Richmond next morning at 5 o'clock—8 hours and 20 minutes. Lumberton is, and should justly be proud of her railroad service, having three distinct systems, and the local management all in the hands of as clever and efficient a set of people as can be found anywhere.

Rev. A. E. Baker and family left Wednesday morning to spend a month in Virginia and Maryland. During Mr. Baker's absence there will be no service in the Presbyterian church except Sunday School and prayer meeting.

There is much regret at the closing of the picture show which occurs tonight. Since the opening last March it has delighted hundreds of people who are sorry to see it close.

Contractor Claud Baker tells us that he expects to break ground Monday for the new Baptist church, which will be pushed to completion as rapidly as possible, and it is expected that the church will be ready for dedication by Spring. Mr. Baker will also begin the work next week of remodeling the residence of Mr. Frank Gough. Another story will be added and otherwise improved, making it one of the handsomest two-story residences in town.

Register of Deeds T. N. Higby has greatly improved the appearance of his residence by repainting.——Encouraging crop reports continue to be received from the different sections of this county.——Mr. F. J. Thomas, express agent, left for Raleigh this morning, accompanied by his little daughter, Elizabeth, and sister-in-law, little Miss Stamback. Mr. Thomas will return tonight or tomorrow, but the children will spend several days in Raleigh and Henderson.——Mrs. E. G. McGuire, wife of Supt. McGuire, of the electric light plant, is confined by sickness at the Thompson Hospital. The many friends of the family hope for her speedy recovery.——Much sorrow is felt here at the announcement in this morning's Star of the death of Rev. F. D. Swindell.——We have never heard as much complaint of mosquitos in Lumberton as at present. With the approach of night the pests get busy and the inhabitants are kept busy trying to protect themselves.

Judging from the hearty applause the large crowd which attended the last of the vaudeville shows given in connection with the moving picture show last night, went away highly pleased. Many people were turned away.——If the growing season continues long enough our beautiful graded school building will be out of sight. The grounds are covered with weeds and grass sufficiently high for men and cattle to hide themselves easily.

Mr. S. J. Stephens, of the Seaboard freight office, expects to leave Monday morning for a short vacation which he will spend with relatives at Jonesboro.——From some remarks we have heard drop, it is our opinion that the dog population in Lumberton is going to be reduced. People are tired of being bothered by some of the poor half-starved creatures who have to secure a living by making night raids.

Mr. Wallace Norment, of the postoffice force is spending his vacation in the mountains.

At a "special term" of the Mayor's court held about 8 o'clock last night, "Buddie" Love, a negro boy probably 16 years old, was tried for storebreaking ,having been charged with entering and robbing the store of Mr. S. T. Freeman some time ago, and in default of bond was committed to jail to await the next term of criminal court at which time his claims for a position on the chain gang will be presented.

OPPOSED TO CHANGE

Objections to Entrance to Opera House Through City Hall.

In is understood that there is considerable opposition to the proposition to make the entrance to the Academy of Music through the City Hall from Third street.

When the matter comes up before the Board of Aldermen at the regular monthly meeting tomorrow the objections will likely be presented to the body. At a meeting of the building committee which has the supervision of the improvements being made in the opera house, some days ago it was decided to recommend to the Board that the entrance for white people be through the City Hall and the present entrance be used exclusively by colored people. A resolution to this effect was offered at the meeting of the Aldermen Thursday afternoon, but went over at the request of Mayor Pro Tem Ellis, who stated that he preferred that the Mayor be present when the matter is discussed as he understood that Captain MacRae was opposed to the proposed change.

A city official pointed out to a Star reporter yesterday afternoon several reasons for objecting to an entrance to the opera house through the City Hall. In the first place he considered that it would lower the dignity of the city to allow threatre-goers to use the hallway in the administration building. He said it would be utterly impossible during a performance, for the Aldermen or the Board of Audit and Finance to hold a meeting without closing the doors on the hallway side and then they would likely be disturbed by the noise by persons entering and leaving the opera house. Besides it would no doubt interfere with the policemen as the night shift goes on duty about the time theatre-goers begin to arrive at the playhouse. In other words, he thought that to make the entrance through the City Hall would seriously interfere with officials in the transaction of the business of the city. He also thought that the entrance would prove objectionable to the ladies, complaint from some having already been received.

The matter will come up tomorrow night and the proposition will be carefully considered by the Aldermen before any action is taken, and those who oppose the change will have an opportunity to state their objections.

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"What ails you, my dear?"

Thus addressed, the child sobbed out, "Take off your nose."

Arago looked at the mother, who grew very confused and said:

"Ah, monsieur, excuse me—excuse my son."

"But, madame," said Arago, "what does he mean?"

The mother then explained that she had during the carnival taken her child to see a number of persons in masks and with false noses and he had become so excited that he could thing of nothing else.

"By an unfortunate occurrence," she added, "we got into the same carriage as you, who no doubt for some good reason are prolonging the carnival. But you see what a deplorable result has followed. Let me then beg of you to have pity on a poor mother and take off your nose."

"But, madame," said Arago, stupefied.

"A little more and my child will have convulsions," shrieked the mother. "Take off your false nose."

"But, madame," said Arago in despair, "that is impossible. This is not a false nose, but my own!"

"Impossible, impossible!" cried the agonized lady.

"Touch it," said Arago.

The lady gave a pull at Arago's nose, but it did not come off in her hand, as she had expected.

"A thousand pardons," she said, "but pray—oh, pray, hide it with your hat."

So Arago continued his journey with his nose in his hat, and the child's screams gradually subsided. Arago himself used to tell the story with much glee.

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The Morning Star.

Sunday, August 1, 1909.

WEATHER REPORT.

U. S. Department of Agriculture Weather Bureau.

Wilmington, N. C., August 1, 1909.

Meteorological data for the 24 hours ending 8 P. M. Saturday, July 31st:

Temperature at 8 A. M. 80 degrees; 8 P. M. 79 degrees; maximum 89 degrees; minimum 77 degrees; mean 83 degrees.

Rainfall for the day, .00; for the month 2.97 inches.

Stage of water in Cape Fear river at Fayetteville at 8 A. M. Saturday 7 feet and falling.

Weather Forecast.

For North Carolina—Local showers Sunday and probably Monday, light to moderate variable winds.

Port Calendar— August 1.

Sun Rises.....5:06 A. M.
Sun Sets.....7:05 P. M.
Day's Length.....13 hrs. 59 min.
High water at Southport 7:20 A. M.
High water at Wilmington 10:20 A. M.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

United Wireless—Buy.
Panacea Springs—Betwixt.
D. L. Gore Co.—Seed Rye.
T. D. Meares, Sec.—Notice.
C. W. Yates & Co.—Kodaks.
A. D. Brown—Less Than Cost.
Peterson & Rulfs—Shoe News.
American Nat. Bank—Savings.
J. W. H. Fuchs—Half Price Sale.
Geo. O. Gaylord—Mosquito Canopies.
C. W. Polvogt Co.—Season of Travel.
J. M. Solky & Co.—Beginning of End.

Business Locals.

Chas. M. Stieff—Pianos.
E. Thomas Co.—Agents
Smith & Lord—For Sale.
A. D. Wessell—For Rent.
W. A. McGowan—For Sale.
Pawn Shop—Money to Loan.
J. O. Brock—Electric Wiring.
J. E. Clayton—Announcement.
For Sale Cheap—Square Piano.
Leger Meyer—Merchant Tailor.
H. F. Wilder—Valuable Property.
Los Angeles Cider Co.—Salesmen.
Young People's Society—Excursion.
Anti-Chilline Chemical Co.—Agents.
People's B. & L. Ass'n—Take Stock.
Stewart & Otersen—10 Per Cent. Off.
California Cider & Extract Co—Salesmen.

LOCAL DOTS.

—Church notices, 7th Page.

—The membership committee of the Y. M. C. A. will hold a meeting at the Association tomorrow evening at 9 o'clock.

—The Willing Works of St. Luke, A. M. E. Zion church, colored, will run a moonlight excursion to Carolina Beach, Wednesday night.

—Assistant Chief of Police C. S. Burnett last night received from the Fire and Police Commission, a gold plated badge and an insignia for his cap.

—The Yoke Fellows of the Y. M. C. A. will gather tomorrow evening at 8 o'clock in their class room. The subject will be "Joshua." The band will hold an open air service at Immanuel Presbyterian church this evening.

—A searchlight excursion will be run on the steamer Wilmington, August 13th, under the auspices of The Young People's Society of St. Matthew's Lutheran church. It promises to be an enjoyable outing.

—A meeting of the stockholders of the New River Oyster Company has been called to be held in the office of the secretary, Capt. T. D. Meares, September 1st, 1909. The matter of dissolving the corporation as recommended by the directors will be considered.

—Mary Clemmons and John Thompson, colored, were arrested last night by Patrolman E. R. Chadwick on the charge of an affray. The fight took place on corner of Second and Orange streets. The combatants, neither of whom was injured, were lodged in the calaboose in default of bonds.

—In an interesting game of baseball at Masonboro yesterday afternoon, Greenville defeated Masonboro by the score of 3 to 1. The features were the base running of Wright and the hitting of Stokley. Batteries: Greenville, W. Stokley and G. Wright; Masonboro, Farrar and Stokley. Stokley allowed two hits and Farrar four.

—A case against Julius Kennedy, colored, charged with embezzlement of a small amount of money from Alex. S. Yager, a Syrian merchant, was called in Justice Sykes' court yesterday but at the request of Wm. J. Bellamy, Esq., counsel for the defendant, was continued until Tuesday afternoon at 3 o'clock.

—One deed was filed for record yesterday: Gertrude S. Foster to Anna S. Foster, for $10 and other considerations, four lots as follows: East side of Second, 82 1-2 feet south of Davis street, 41x165 feet in size, and a lot adjoining, 74 1-2x165 feet in size; one on southeast corner of Davis and Second streets, 82 1-2x165 feet in size, also on west side of Sixth, 192 1-2 feet north of Campbell street.

—A good game of baseball was played yesterday afternoon between "Newtown" and "Brooklyn," the latter winning 2 to 1. Dan Mott and Floyd Cox formed the battery for Brooklyn, and Sietter and Prince for Newtown. The feature of the game was Mott's striking out 16 men; Cox did the willow work for Brooklyn being up three time, and getting two singles and a three-bagger, bringing in the only two runs made.

A Feeling of Confidence and Safety

The People's Savings Bank is an institution in which the people can deposit their money with a feeling of the utmost confidence and safety. Deposit now and your interest begins August 1st. jul 31 3t

"Whispering Flowers," to be played at Lumina this afternoon. **

PERSONAL PARAGRAPHS.

—Dr. W. F. Smith, of Chadbourn, is in the city on a brief visit.

—Miss Ida McLean Black and mother have gone to Sanford, N. C., to visit relatives.

—Miss Frances Murray, an attractive young lady of Fayetteville, is visiting friends in the city.

—Miss Annie Lee Davis, of Goldsboro, is visiting Mrs. A. B. Lynch, on North Front street.

—Dr. W. C. Galloway, a former Wilmingtonian, is spending a few days in the city on a visit to friends.

—Mr. D. H. Cole left yesterday for his home at Jacksonville, N. C., where he will spent several days on a vacation trip.

—Mr. Clayton Giles returned last evening from New York and other points North where he has been spending some time.

—Little Miss Henrietta Sinclair, of Waycross, Ga., is visiting her grandmother, Mrs. Henrietta Shephard, on South Fourth street.

—Mrs. H. W. Smith, of Waycross, Ga., who has been visiting her sister, Mrs. B. B. Pridgen, at No. 610 South Third street, has returned home.

—Dr. J. D. Ingram and mother and Miss Estelle King, of McBee, S. C., are spending a few weeks at Wrightsville Beach, occupying cottage No. 23.

—Mr. James Sinclair, of Waycross, Ga., formerly of Wilmington, is spending a few days in the city and is being pleasantly greeted by his many friends.

—Dr. H. N. King, of Baltimore, Md., who has been the guest of his sister, Mrs. J. W. Maynard, of Cheraw, S. C., on Wrightsville Beach, has returned home.

—Mr. J. Kemp Plummer, chemist at the State Experimental Station, Raleigh, is here on a visit to his brother, Mr. W. H. Plummer, the popular night clerk at The Orton.

—Miss Bessie and Susie Howard returned to their home in Norfolk, Va., yesterday morning after a pleasant visit of a month to Mrs. Washington Catlett and Mrs. J. T. James.

—Rev. W. A. Snyder, pastor of St. Paul's Lutheran Church, and family will leave in a few days for a five weeks' visit to Niagara Falls, Mr. Snyder's boyhood home, and in eastern Ontario.

—Dr. N. M. Culbreth, who for many years was a resident of this city, spent yesterday here on a short visit to friends, on his way to Whiteville, to spend some time with his daughter, Mrs. Grady.

—Mr. L. J. Rowell, a former Wilmington boy now with the Georgia Fruit Exchange with headquarters in Atlanta, is spending his vacation in the city and is being cordially received by his numerous friends.

—Mr. A. J. Mitchell returned yesterday from a very pleasant stay of ten days or longer at Black Mountain, where he spent ten days with his friend, Mr. George Willson, who, his friends will be delighted to learn, is greatly improved in health.

—Among the guests at The Orton yesterday were: W. J. Ellington, Raleigh; B. T. Dawson, Tarboro; A. T. Harper, Goldsboro; A. T. Clark, Bolton; Wm. Jones, Red Springs; W. R. Bonsal, Hamlet; L. C. Webb, Shelby; Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Woodside, Miss Bell Riggs, M. E. Holt, Charlotte.

—Mrs. A. M. Campbell and her attractive daughter, Miss Alberta M. Campbell, of Cleveland, Ohio, who are spending the Summer here, were the guests the past week of Mrs. J. W. Maynard, Cheraw, S. C., and Mrs. J. D. Ingram, McBee, S. C., at their cottage on Wrightsville Beach.

A MOST WORTHY APPEAL.

Wilmington Friends May Assist in Work That Should be Maintained

The Star gladly gives space to the enclosed general appeal from the Rev. R. W. Hogue, the former beloved rector of St. James, whose work in behalf of unfortunate young men, especially the boys, is a monument to his name in this community:

"Dear Sir:

"For several years I have had under my care a number of young boys, rescued from jail, magistrate courts and places of evil influence. Three of these boys have been for sometime at a Reformatory-Industrial School. I have excellent reports of them. In order to get them to our recently established State Reformatory, I must pay now for their board, care and training for the past year, $125.00 each. Meanwhile, they are costing—all three—$30.00 every month. Unless the money is paid shortly they will be turned adrift. Can you help me save them? Any assistance you may render will be deeply appreciated in behalf of these homeless boys.

"Very sincerely,

"R. W. HOGUE."

Arranging For Farmers' Institute.

It is expected that the Farmers' Institute at Castle Haynes Wednesday, August 11th, will be attended by a large number of the farmers of New Hanover county. An attractive programme has been arranged for the day and will include addresses by local speakers and Mr. Franklin Sherman, State Entomologist, Mr. N. A. Layton, of Bladen county, Prof. Bronson Barlow, Botanist of the State Department of Agriculture, and others. Two sessions will be held, one in the morning at 10 o'clock and the other at 1:30 o'clock in the afternoon.

At The Bijou Tomorrow.

The feature bill at the Bijou tomorrow will be "What Drink Did," a powerful moral lesson, depicting in a vivid manner the evils of the drink habit. It is a splendid picture and its presentation will doubtless be witnessed by large audiences.

Monday, August 2nd.

Make your deposits with The People's Savings Bank on or before Monday, August 2nd and they will pay you interest from August 1st. jul 31 3t

Hear the quartette from "Regoletta" played by the Lumina orchestra tonight. **

FIRST WEEK SUPERIOR COURT

Three Cases Were Disposed of Yesterday—Barge to be Sentenced Monday—Joe Doe, Colored, Adjudged Insane.

The first week of the July term of Superior court adjourned shortly before 2 o'clock yesterday afternoon. Court will convene again Monday morning at 9:30 o'clock and it is thought that all business will be wound up before the last of the week.

The grand jury was called together yesterday morning to pass on a bill of indictment drawn by Solicitor Rodolph Duffy charging Willie King, colored, with perjury. A true bill was returned about 11 o'clock and the defendant was arrested a short time later by Deputy Sheriff Harvey Cox. The prisoner was lodged in the county jail to await a hearing some time this week. King was a witness for the State in the case against Ben Barge, Jr., for the murder of John Phifer and the bill of indictment charges that he perjured himself. Those who heard his testimony before the coroner's jury and his testimony in Superior court state that the two statements differed materially in all the important points. It will be recalled that his testimony in the Superior court was very favorable to Barge, tending to bear out the contention of the defense that Barge shot in self-defense. The case against King will likely be tried Tuesday or Wednesday.

Ben Barge, Jr., found guilty late Friday night of murder in second degree for the killing of John Phifer, colored, last November, will be sentenced Monday morning. The verdict of the jury was generally commented on in legal circles and on the streets yesterday. The fact that the negro escaped the gallows is generally considered a signal victory for Wm. J. Bellamy, Esq., counsel for the defendant. The case will hardly be appealed to the Supreme Court. Mr. Bellamy, as stated in yesterday's paper, did not offer any testimony, relying solely upon the failure of the State to make out a case. He spoke all told about five hours and he presented his case in a brilliant and eloquent manner.

Recorder Upheld.

A case against Randolph Croslin, colored, charged with non-support of his wife, appealed from the Recorder's court, was tried yesterday morning, the jury finding the defendant guilty. The Recorder had found the defendant guilty and sentenced him to 12 months on the county roads. The same sentence was imposed by Judge Allen. The defendant was not represented by counsel.

Ed Bryant, colored, was found not guilty of the larceny of a hack from Mr. W. M. Miller. The defendant and Chas. Rhone, colored, were tried some time ago in the Recorder's court, convicted and sentenced to the county roads for three months each. Rhone began his work for the county immediately, but Bryant took an appeal. The material witnesses against Bryant were not in court and could not be had, otherwise the verdict would probably have been different.

The cases against Mark and Leslie Winner, charged with trespass and destroying personal property at Carolina Beach, and the case against M. L. Winner, charged with selling whiskey, were set for trial Tuesday.

A case against Albert Lamb, colored, charged with selling whiskey, was remanded to the Recorder, the warrant upon which the defendant was convicted in the Recorder's court having been issued by Chief of Police Williams, whose term of office had expired. The defendant was required to renew his bond.

When the case of Joe Doe, alias Joe, colored, charged with attempted criminal assault upon Thelma Mote, six-years old daughter of Mr. J. A. Mote, street car conductor, was called, Geo. L. Peschau, Esq., made a motion for a preliminary hearing to determine the sanity of the prisoner. The motion was allowed and several witnesses testified that the negro had always been a half-witted sort of a fellow. B. W. Applewhite and John Kuhlken said that in their opinion the negro was possessed of very little intelligence, as did also Maggie Buck, a negress, who said she had known Joe for eight or nine years. The defendant was called to the stand and was questioned by Solicitor Duffy. It was evident to all that he was mentally very weak. His very appearance indicated that he had no more mental capacity than a child two or three years old. Dr. Joseph Akerman, who had examined the defendant, said that physically speaking there was a defect in the shape of the negro's head. As to his mental condition he appeared to have about as much intelligence as a child of his station in life of three or four years of age. He considered the defendant bereft of any reasoning power.

Solicitor Duffy asked the physician a hypothetical question relative to the finding of the jury in the case for attempted criminal assault, which was objected to by Mr. Peschau on the ground that the prisoner was not being tried on a criminal offense and no evidence had been introduced to show that the prisoner was the one who attempted the assault. Solicitor Duffy immediately placed on the stand Robert Mote, the young son of Mr. Mote, and D. J. Dillon, who testified that Joe was the negro seen running from the woods at the time the screams of the child were heard. The girl was also placed on the stand but she could not qualify as a witness. After the examination of the witnesses the solicitor resumed his hypothetical questions, after which the judge charged the jury, the attorneys not caring to make argument. The jury decided in a few minutes that the prisoner was insane and he will be sent to the asylum in Goldsboro.

Grand Jury's Second Report.

The grand jury submitted a supplemental report which dealt with the pressing need of a disposal plant for the city refuse matter, attention to which was called in the first report a few days ago. Judge Allen, in commenting upon the report, said that if the matter was not remedied by the September term of court he would instruct the solicitor to send bills of indictment to the grand jury. The following is the report:

"Wilmington, N. C., July 31, 1909.

"To His Honor, Judge O. H. Allen, Presiding July Term Superior Court, New Hanover County:

"We, the grand jury, having submitted a report to the court on the 29th instant, now hereby make this as a supplemental report of our actions since the filing of the former report:

"We acted upon one bill of indictment and returned same as a true bill to the court.

"We again wish to emphasize the recommendation we have already made as to the proper disposal of the refuse and garbage of the City of Wilmington. Further complaints have been made to the grand jury in reference thereto, and so urgent is the necessity for prompt action on the part of the city and county authorities and the Board of Health that we recommended that the solicitor investigate and take such action as he may deem necessary to immediately remove the existing evil, and that Your Honor call upon the city and county authorities and the board of health to have the nuisance abated at once.

"Respectfull submitted,

"J. W. WILLIAMSON, "Foreman.

"C. E. KERR, "Secretary."

It will be noted above that the complaint as to the city refuse and garbage is without regard to collection of the same but as to its disposal.

MILK INSPECTION FOR NEWBERN

Dr. T. B. Carroll Back From Trip to Elm City—Sanitary Conditions.

Dr. Thos. B. Carroll, milk and meat inspector for the City of Wilmington has just returned from Newbern, whither he was called last week to advise with the city authorities in regard to the installation of a milk inspection for that city. The conditions were none the best there and certain of the officials in seeking about for a remedy paid Wilmington the compliment of requesting the enactment of a law similar to that in successful operation here, which was inaugurated by Dr. Carroll, at the behest of the Board of Health about two and a half years ago. Dr. Carroll spent three days in Newbern and now has the nucleus for a first-class inspection in effect there. Dr. Carroll hopes for a very great improvement over the conditions he found when he was called there in a very short time.

"Rigoletto"

Quartette by the Lumina orchestra tonight. **

Summer Conceits for Lovers of Pretty Undermuslins

New garments fresh and glowing with Summer beauty. Gowns, covers, drawers and other garments for women, misses and children, that are most original in conception and making.

'Tis like looking at a beautiful picture to gaze on these billowy, filmy bits of snow white muslin, lace and embroidery.

Prices are modest indeed, and you can supply your needs at this store better than anywhere in this vicinity. Come look at the new goods today.

Children's Summer Muslin Drawers.....10c
Ladies' 25c Summer Muslin Drawers.....19c
Ladies' 50c Summer Muslin Drawers.....39c
Ladies' 50c Summer Muslin Under Skirt.....25c
Ladies' $1.25 Summer Muslin Under Skirts.....98c
Ladies Summer Muslin Gowns
Ladies' 25c Summer Muslin Corset Covers.....15c
Ladies 39c Summer Muslin Corset Covers.....25c
Ladies' 50c Summer Muslin Corset Covers.....39c

Reductions in White Lawn Shirt Waists

We have a number of handsome models in these charming garments, which we wish to close out. They are exquisite in their design and their making. In every line they resp the latest thoughts in Shirt Waists. You will be captivated by their goodness. Prices have been placed so low, that they should go out on the double quick.

Lot No. 1 White Lawn Shir Waist, Long Sleeves, Tucked Yoke or Embroidery Yoke, all sizes. This Sale...69c
Lot No. 2 consist of White and Black Lawn Waist some sold as high as $2 50 any of them good values at $1.25 as long as they last will sell them at.....98c

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Wednesday, Aug. 4th

ORIENTAL NIGHT AT LUMINA

The Best of All the Lumina Dances

COLORED METHODISTS.

Conference in Progress at Trinity Church, Colored.

The second day of the colored Wilmington District M. E. Conference devotion was conducted Thursday by Revs. G. W. Byers and W. P. Hayes. The work of the conference was then taken up with Rev. G. W. Morehead, district superintendent, presiding. Rev. Wm. Wells was selected as secretary, and Prof. D. P. Allen, assistant secretary. The committees on Education, Church Extension, on the examination of local preachers for license to preach, for ordination, for renewal of license, and for admission to the conference, made reports. Representing the various committee boards were: Revs. G. W. Brower, J. M. McNeill, R. P. Hairston, G. W. Byers, W. M. Wells, G. B. McLean and S. McDonald. Introductions to the conference: Rev. Dr. Bonner, Revs. Blocker, Willingham, Dr. S. A. Peeler, Rev. Geo. B. Webster, formerly pastor of Bladen street M. E. church, and Dr. M. M. Jones. Dr. Peeler addressed the conference on its duty to Bennett College. The doctor's appeal was pointed and strong, which is characteristic of the speaker. Rev. M. M. Jones followed with very timely remarks, endorsing in strong terms the address of Dr. Peeler. Dr. Jones advanced the point that ministers among the colored race burdened with all the finances of the church could not find much time for helpful study. In the afternoon of the second day I. L. Thomas, D. D., was introduced, and at night the doctor spoke to a crowded house. He was at his best, moving the audience first to tears and then to laughter. The address will be remembered for its many strong points of advice, and helpfulness. The third day's exercises were characterized by the faithful dispatching of business by the president, Rev. G. W. Morehead. Many stubborn debates ensued and it was thrilling at times to see the giants meet and lock in battle, intellectually. Dr. I. L. Thomas spoke to the conference on the need of increased effort on the part of the district conference in giving larger support to the home mission and Church Extension Board at Philadelphia. The Rev. G. B. McLean, pastor of the church, made an appeal to the conference to help in the struggle to remodel the church and their effort to build up the membership. The appeal was responded to with $41.50 in cash and subscriptions for the church. The address of Dr. S. A. Peeler, president of Bennett College, was delivered in his usual happy manner. He urged a hearty supporting of the college, both by giving the cash and sending the boys and girls there to teach them how to think. The address was listened to with unabated interest. Dr. Peeler will preach at Trinity church, colored, at 8:30 o'clock Sunday night. Dr. I. L. Thomas will preach at 11 A. M. Communion administered at 3 P. M. All welcomed to services.

CONCERTS AT LUMINA.

Usual Excellent Programmes Will be Rendered Afternoon and Night.

The usual excellent concerts will be given at Lumina this afternon. At the night concert the first half of the programme is all German music.

Afternoon—3:30 O'clock.

1. Brookes' Chicago Marine Band March.....Roland P. Seltz
2. Concert Waltz—"Blue Danube" (by request).....Joh. Strauss
3. (a) Russian Dance—"The Cossacks."
   (b) Fanatical Dance—"The Dervishes".....Theo Bendix
4. Overture—"Northern Lights".....A. J. Weidt

PART II.

5. Selection—"The Storks".....Frederick Chapin
6. Characteristic—"Whispering Flowers".....Von Blon
7. Medley Selection—"Schooldays".....Gus Edwards
8. Finale (Brass)—"Facing the Enemy".....F. H. Losey

Night—8:30 O'clock.

1. Marsch—"Unser Heinrich".....W. Paris Chambers
2. Potpourri—"Der Meistersinger von Berlin".....Paul Lincke
3. Waltz—"The Gypsy Baron".....Joh. Strauss
4. Intermezzo—"Frische Blumen".....Paul Lincke
5. Overture—"Frau Luna".....Paul Lincke

PART II.

6. Selection—"Prince to Tonight".....Jos. E. Howard
7. Italian Water Song—"Malena".....Melville Ellis
8. Selection—"Bohemian Girl".Balfe
9. Quartette from—"Rigoletta".....Verdi
10. March Triumphal—"Entry of the Gladiators".....Julius Fucik

Painfully Hurt in Runaway.

In a runaway yesterday morning, Eddie Squires, a 16-year-old white youth, was thrown from a cart near Front street market, and painfully hurt and bruised. The boy was driving the animal which became frightened on Orange street, and he made a wild dash, to Front street, where the accident occurred. He was carried to the James Walker Memorial Hospital for treaament and it is believed will be able to be out in a few days.

REACH HIS HEART via his stomach by using Sauer's Flavoring Extracts. They represent the highest perfection ever attained in cuisine chemistry. Ask for Sauer's

FORGE TO THE LEAD

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bases; Gettig was safe on bunt to Howard, going to second on wild throw Howard to first, but Pritchard and Fulton fanned in rapid succession and the game was over.

The Tabulated Score.

Goldsboro	AB	R	H	O	A	E
Smith, cf	4	0	0	2	0	0
Murphy, ss	3	0	1	3	2	3
Steinbach, 2b	3	0	0	3	3	2
Crockett, 1b	4	0	1	7	1	0
Doak, rf	4	0	0	3	0	0
Gettig, 3b	4	0	0	0	2	0
Pritchard, lf	4	0	0	1	1	0
Fulton, c	4	0	1	5	1	0
Bussey, p	3	0	1	0	3	0
Totals	33	0	4	24	13	5
Wilmington	AB	R	H	O	A	E
Nichols, 2b	4	0	3	1	3	2
Guerrant, 3b	4	2	2	0	2	0
Brodie, cf	1	0	0	2	0	0
Grainger, cf	3	0	1	0	0	0
Levy, 1b	4	0	0	7	0	0
Sharp, ss	4	0	0	3	3	2
Jayes, lf	3	1	0	3	0	0
Kite, c	4	1	2	11	1	0
Ashton, rf	3	0	1	0	0	0
Howard, p	3	0	0	0	0	1
Totals	33	4	9	27	9	5

Score by Innings.

Goldsboro	000 000 000	0	4 5
Wilmington	000 101 11x	4	9 5

Summary: Two-base hits, Nichols and Kite; sacrifice hits, Murphy, Ashton, Jayes and Howard; stolen bases, Guerrant; bases on balls, off Howard 1; struck out, by Bussey 2, Howard 10; time 1:45; umpire, Mr. Thompson, of Goldsboro; attendance 1,500.

Protest at Fayetteville.

Fayetteville, N. C., July 31.—Fayetteville took the last game of the series from Wilson today easily by the score of 6 to 1 in another fast game featured by O'Neil and Zanelli's work on short and the batting of the local team. Withers and Cowell were knocked off the rubber, Lohr the first man up getting a home run. Manager Holt, of Wilson, claiming that a double header should have been played had his team on the field at 2:30 and the game was forfeited to Wilson by the umpire in the absence of Fayetteville players. Owner Napier of the local team protests the forefeiture on the grounds that a double header was not compulsory. Score:

Wilson	000 000 010	1	5 2
Fayetteville	101 200 20x	6	10 0

Withers, Cowell Schuman and Gilmore and Holt. Hallman and Galvin; Umpire Cooke.

Rocky Mount Games.

Rocky Mount, N. C., July 31.—Loose playing by the crew lost the first of the double header to the Red birds today. Thorpe pitched a good game and proper support would have put the game on ice. Score:

Rocky Mount	000 000 003	3	5 4
Raleigh	100 030 000	4	6 0

Thorpe and Walsh; Pope, Fulenwider and Rowe; time 1:50; attendance 800; umpire Barr.

With a lead of one run for the Red Birds, in the ninth Walsh went in for a pinch hit and with two down hit for two bags scoring one run while Conn's single broke it up, Walsh scoring. Fulenwider relieved Yerkes in the ninth to save the game and three connected hits lost it. Score:

Rocky Mount	200 000 002	4	8 2
Raleigh	000 000 300	3	9 1

Luyster and Conn, Yerkes Fulenwides and Rowe; time 1:40; attendance 800; Umpire Barr.

Wilson Wants to Lead.

Wilson, N. C., July 31.—Manager Holt 'phoned the manager of the Wilson Athletic Association tonight that in the double header at Fayetteville this afternoon between Wilson and Fayetteville, that the Wilson club was on the ball grounds at 3 o'clock. The umpire called the game but Fayetteville failed to show up. Then the regular preliminaries were gone through with and the umpire called the game in Wilson's favor. He will report same to President King. This was a rain game and should have been played. According to the umpire's decision Wilson should still be on top.

"Pennant Prattle."

Whoop-ee!

That same Rube!

Which is saying lots.

Lt! La! child, 'twas easy picking.

Five out of six! Now aren't that lovely?

Wilmington bats flourished like a green bay tree.

Thanks, Fayetteville; thanks Rocky Mount; oh! thanks, awfully.

Just a little injection, doctor, please; the strain is getting too great.

Guerrant pulled off a classy running mailed hand scoop that had a tang to it in the 4th.

Kite masked in commenty form; and also busied himself with willow stunts at opportune times.

Goldsboro's prospective scores came on the Sailors' errors, as Reuben was master of the sphere at all seasons of the game.

Aviator Bussey was even more successful in his flight than the past week's performances of the Wright Bros.

All said Bussey and the residue of his club mates could do was to corner a few annular characters on the score board.

Swatsmith Nichols wasn't a bit timid with his wagon tongue, and hammered the ball substantially at every try.

The Immortal Bard must have received his inspiration for "A Comedy of Errors" after attending an exhibition like that.

The near-umpire really played a better game for Goldsboro than some of those performing in the uniform of that team.

Rather a travesty on baseball, considering the many bobbles, but all of this is forgiven after a glance at the percentage column.

Jayes, in his usual faultless manner, speared a dangerous fencer off Doak's bat in the 9th, which must have made the last-named real angry, dontcherknow.

The alleged umpire, or rather the party who impersonated that role, couldn't see that Wilmington should have been given credit for the first run made, judging by his saffron colored decision at the plate—but then he can't see anyway. Somebody should have passed the Lick Observatory.

HAD DELIGHTFUL OUTING

Immanuel Church Societies and Friends Spent Day at Beach.

Those who participated in the delightful outing Friday, under the auspices of the Ladies' Aid Society and Brotherhood of Immanuel Presbyterian church, express with much delight the pleasant time they had. A quartette of men from the A. C. L. offices rendered several pleasing selections, both at the Beach and on the boat. The genteel colored men of the Columbia Concert Strong Band rendered most pleasing and excellent music all day and during the evening. The music was all the sweeter, because the expenses of the band were paid by a good friend of the church, who does not care to let his right hand know what his left hand does. Justice Bornemann, with his accordeon, rendered some special music.

The church and societies express gratitude to Captain John W. Harper, first, who made it possible to have the outing and also aided very materially in making it a success, and so pleasant for all. And secondly to Messrs. Winstead & Son, Independent Ice Company, Wilmington Stamp Works, Morning Star, Evening Dispatch, Pepsi-Cola Co., Bludwine Co., Coco-Cola Co., and Warren's Steam Bakery, and others who assisted personally and in other ways. Carolina Beach is a most restful and delightfully cool place, and Captain Harper is so thoughtful.

BOARD OF EDUCATION.

Special Meeting Held Yesterday to Consider Two Matters.

The County Board of Education met in special session in the office of Superintendent Catlett in the Court House yesterday morning at 11 o'clock. Chairman J. O. Carr and Capt. John H. Hanby were present. Mr. W. H. Sprunt, the other member of the Board, is out of the city.

The Board considered at length a proposition to consolidate school districts six and twelve. The committeemen of both districts were present and after a full and free discussion it was decided that it was not feasible to consolidate the districts at present.

Mr. W. A. Lineker decided to purchase the school house on the Castle Haynes road about three miles from the city in the interest of the Union Sunday School. The building will be used for the Sunday School and other church worship. The Board of Education will erect a new building at an early date. The Board has been offered a site near the residence of Mr. Herbert Johnson. Prof. Catlett and Mr. Hanby will visit the proposed site Monday and decide whether or not it will be acceptable. The erection of the new building will be commenced as soon as possible.

RECORDER'S COURT YESTERDAY.

Negro Fined for Cruelty to Animals. Other Cases.

In the Recorder's court yesterday John H. Whiteman, colored, was found guilty of cruelty to animals and was fined $25 and costs. The case was continued from Friday morning. The case against Georgiana Floyd, colored, charged with slandering Estelle Johnson, colored, sent up from Justice Harriss' court, was dismissed at the cost of the prosecutor, who swore that she could not substantiate her charge. John Russ, Rudolph Williams and John Melton, young white boys, were up for stealing peaches from a tree in the yard of Mr. Wm. Calder, on Third street, between Grace and Walnut. The Melton boy was sentenced to three months, the County Commissioners to hire him out. The other two were given a sentence of three months each on the county roads, it being the second time they had been before the court for larceny.

OX STOLEN AT BOLTON

Brought Here Yesterday and Sold. One Negro Arrested.

Chief of Police N. J. Williams received a telephone message yesterday morning from Bolton stating that a work ox had been stolen from Poley Freeman of that place and that the robbers, two negroes, were thought to be on their way to Wilmington to dispose of the bovine. The chief began an investigation and found that the ox had been sold to Hopkins & Davis. On information and belief Patrolman M. C. Huggins swore out a warrant against Thos. Spalding, colored, and another negro charging them with the theft, and at 1 o'clock Spalding was placed under arrest by Patrolman A. D. Smith. The owner of the ox came here later in the day and identified the animal as the one stolen from him. The officers expected to capture the other negro some time before day.

Meets in Wilmington Next Year.

The following is from Friday's Winston-Salem Sentinel: "The colored Grand Lodge, Knights of Pythias, which has been in session here since Tuesday, adjourned last night to meet in Wilmington next year. No mention was made during the session here regarding the threatened suit of the white Grand Lodge to dissolve the colored order by injunction. "We will not make any move until some official action is taken by the white order," said a member of the colored lodge this morning."

Kidney and Bladder Diseases.

are indicated by one or more of these symptoms, Viz: Pains and Weakness in the Back, Lame Back, Dragging sensation in the Back and Loins, Muddy thick Urine, a white deposit brickdust deposit, Puffiness under the Eyes, Bloated appearance of the Face, Swelling of Ankles and Feet, Drowsiness, Loss of Memory Dropsy, Blood Poisoning and Rheumatism. Rydale's Kidney Remedy is guaranteed by us to give satisfaction to all sufferers from Kidney or Bladder disorders. Robert R. Bellamy.

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CASWELL PLAYS GOOD BALL

Won Two Out of Series of Three With Magnolia Team.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Fort Caswell, N. C., July 31.—Fort Caswell won two games of a three game series with the Magnolia baseball team on the local lot. The first game on Thursday afternoon went to Caswell score 7 to 1. Smith, Caswell's deceiver, allowed but five hits while Borden, the visiting slab artist was found for safeties 14 times, each pitcher had five whifs to his credit. The feature of the game was McCumbers four hits on five times at the bat, one of which was good for a continuous journey around the circuit with no stop over, but Mac. failed to report properly at the second station and his run did not count. Batteries: Smith and Canterbery; Borden and Peterson.

The second game Friday morning, also went to Caswell by the count of 3 to 4. This was anybody's game until the 7th round, when two hits coupled with four errors and let in four runs and decided the game. Stokel, for the home hopes held the visitors safe until the eighth, when two hits and two errors scored two runs. Two runs were made by the visitors in the second round on errors, Bullard, who twirled for the visitors was effective with men on bases, but eight errors behind him was a great handicap, he was found for eight hits while six were registered against Stokel. The feature was the fielding of Wooten, at third for the visitors. Batteries: Stokel and Shanifelt, Bullard and White.

In the third game the visitors sprung a sensation on the firing line in the person of this same Mr. Wooten, who, by the way is slated for faster company, he struck out 10 men, and allowed five hits of the scratch variety. Smith for Caswell allowed 12 hits, but received brilliant support in most cases, although 6 errors were made behind him, they were not very expensive, Caswell, however, was out-hit and lost the game 5 to 3.

Manager Newberry of the visitors was much impressed by the work of the Caswell team, and thinks it a much better team than he played against here on his former visits, and says that losing two out of three games to such a team is no discredit.

The home team are anxious to meet any uniformed team in the State and managers wishing games, address "Manager Fort Caswell B. B. team, Fort Caswell, N. C.

Early Morning Marriage.

Mr. Herbert H. Porter and Mrs. Bessie Raynor, of Elkton, Bladen county, were married at 3 o'clock yesterday morning at the home of the officiating minister, Rev. C. F. Whitlock, 717 North Fifth street. Mrs. Raynor is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. D. T. Clark, of Bladen county. The groom arrived in the city on the early Seaboard train yesterday morning and Mrs. Raynor arrived Friday.

Death of Colored Man.

John R. Lane, Sr., an aged and well known colored man, passed away at his home on Wooster street, at 10 o'clock Friday night. He was 68 years of age and a faithful worker, who was highly regarded by many of both races. The funeral will be held at Congregational church at 4 o'clock this afternoon and the interment will be in Pine Forest cemetery.

At Trinity Church Today.

Rev. G. B. Webster, pastor of Oriental Methodist church, will preach at Trinity church this morning at 11 o'clock. At the evening service, Mr. N. J. Northam will address the congregation on the subject of the "Laymen's Movement." The public is cordially invited.

Picnic at Winter Park.

Mr. J. G. Seitter, proprietor of what is known as the "test farm," announces that on August 11th, he will give a basket picnic at the "bungalow" at Winter Park Gardens to which the public is cordially invited. There will be music, dancing and other features of entertainment.

Death This Morning.

Friends of Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Carney will sympathize with them in the death of their daughter, Miss Sallie Carney, which occurred at the family home, No. 314 North Eighth street, this morning at 12:30 o'clock. The funeral arrangements will be announced later.

FIVE DEAD IN EXPLOSION.

Building is Almost Demolished—Destructive Fire—Searching Ruins.

(By Wire to The Morning Star.)

St. Paul, Minn., July 31.—An explosion of gasoline, followed by a destructive fire in a four-story building here today is known to have caused the death of five persons and the injury of six others.

The police believe the bodies of four others are still in the ruins. The search for bodies was continued late tonight. A large quantity of charred timbers and bricks must be removed before it can be determined whether more of them are in the debris. The dead are: Roan Rouska, 3 years old; Mrs. Gagnon, 50 years old; a child supposed to be Clifford Gamble, 3 years old and two unidentified men.

It is reported that Mrs. Gamble, the mother of Clifford Gamble, a supposed victim, is among those buried beneath the timbers. Arnold Kuhlo, president of the Kuhlo Manufacturing Co., and a young man named McCauley, also are thought to be among those buried.

It was a gasoline machine invented by Kuhlo for filling tanks of automobiles that caused the explosion. He and McCauley were experimenting with the machine on the second floor when people in the neighborhood were brought to their windows by a deafening roar. The explosion blew the building to fragments in an instant, broke windows across the street and set fire to and badly damaged the central police station and other adjoining buildings. Passers by had narrow escapes.

White shirtwaists and muslin underwear sale at Rehder's Monday. **

19 cent Blarney linen for 12 1-2 cents at Rehder's. jul 30 2t

BLOODY RIOTING CEASES.

Spanish Government Has Situation Under Control at Barcelona.

(By Cable to the Morning Star.)

Perpegnan, Franco-Spanish Frontier July 31.—The captain general of Barcelona today sent the following official telegram to the Governor General of Gerona, which province adjoins that of Barcelona.

"I have the honor to inform you that order has been completely re-established at Barcelona. There are many prisoners."

On receipt thereof the Governor General communicated the information to the mayors of his province. It is believed that railroad communication between Port Bou and Barcelona will be reopened within 48 hours.

TWO CONVICTED AT BARNWELL

Men of Prominent Families Sentenced to Life Imprisonment.

Barnwell, S. C., July 31.—Two white men, members of rather prominent families—Chester Kennedy and Ad. Boylston—were sentenced to life imprisonment by Judge Sease in the circuit court here today, both have been convicted of murder with recommendation to the mercy of the court.

Kennedy who was convicted yesterday of complicity in the assassination of Perry Ussery, secured a stay of sentence pending appeal.

Boylston was convicted today of assassinating his brother-in-law, Cleveland Faning.

WARM WIRELETS.

At 6 o'clock yesterday at Osaka, Japan, a terrible conflagration which has reduced to ashes a larger portion of that city was under control. Up to that hour 13,000 buildings had been destroyed. An area four miles square was swept by the flames.

W. H. Tayloe, general passenger agent of the Southern Railway has been transferred to general agent of the passenger and freight departments, with headquarters at Denver, Colo. Mr. Tayloe has been living in Colorado for some time past on account of his health. H. F. Cary, succeeds Mr. Tayloe, as general passenger agent.

IT SAVES YOU MONEY.

The special half price sale of Dr. Howard's specific for the cure of constipation and dyspepsia by the J. Hicks Bunting Drug Co., means the saving of a few dollars on every family's yearly bill for medicines.

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THE ELBE RIVER.

How the Stream Was Brought to an Even Slope and Current.

In the beginning the Elbe, like any other river, wandered at its will, now spreading out among a multitude of islands, now narrowing into a short and crooked turn, now widening over a shoal. As a proper beginning for the correction of this sort of thing the Prussians, in true German style, prepared a map of the stream as it was, decided by a simple mathematical calculation how wide a channel 1.50 meters deep at middle water could be with the existing flow and then upon the map in red ink, eliminating all sharp turns, drew in graceful curves and long straight reaches regardless of the existing banks two nearly parallel lines, indicating the banks as they were intended to be.

The engineers began at the head of the stream and built out from the old shore to the location of the red line transverse dikes, ground sills—ordinary contraction works. Sometimes where they seemed to be needed they built long parallel dikes exactly on the new red line. Sometimes they wove hurdles and revetment mattresses of willow brush, much as we do at home, and sunk them on bars between the tips of the transverse dikes, and then on the top of them set up upright sticks and wove "wattle" or basket fences of willow through them to make pens, and into these piled sand dredged from the stream, to build up the shore. Mile by mile they advanced, dredging the river or letting it dredge itself, leaving no ends loose to ravel out, gradually reducing the river to an even slope and current.—Boston Transcript.

His Dinner Guests.

In a volume published in London, "Piccadilly to Pall Mall," there is this queer anecdote of the vagaries of social life in the capital: Some years ago an eminent personage accepted or suggested a dinner with a certain millionaire, at that time comparatively unknown. The first guest to arrive, having explained to the butler that, being unacquainted with his host, he would wait till some one else came who could introduce him, lingered in the hall. The second was in the same predicament, as were the third, fourth, fifth and other guests up to the ninth, who chanced to be "the eminent personage" himself. Upon the dilemma being explained to him he cheerfully said: "Oh, come along with me! I will introduce you all. I know him."

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The "Gypsie Baron" by the Lumina orchestra tonight. **

Sixteenth Century Meals.

Judging from a passage in Harrison's "Description of Britain," breakfast eating in the sixteenth century was held to denote effeminacy. "Heretofore," he writes, "there hath been more time spent in eating and drinking than commonly is in these days; for whereas of old we had breakfasts in the forenoon, beverages or nuntions, after dinner, and thereto reare suppers when it was time to go to rest, now these od repasts, thanked be God, are verie well left, and ech one (except here and there some young hungrie stomach that cannot fast till dinner time) contenteth himself with dinner and supper onlie. The nobilitie, gentrie and students ordinarilie go to dinner at 11 before noon and to supper at 5 or between 5 and 6 at afternoon. The merchants dine and sup seldom before 12 at noon and 6 at night, especialie in London. The husbandmen dine also at high noon and sup at 7 or 8, but out of the tearme, in our universities, the scholars dine at 10."

Saved by His Wit.

The French author Martainville was a royalist and did not hesitate to attack the French revolution and its authorities. Presently, of course, he was summoned to appear before the revolutionary tribunal, with the terrible Fouquier at its head. The revolutionary tribunals at that time did not hesitate to send everybody to the guillotine who had ventured to attack them. Martainville expected to go with the rest of the victims. "What is your name?" asked the revolutionary judge. "Martainville," said the young author. "Martainville!" exclaimed the judge. "You are deceiving us and trying to hide your rank. You are an aristocrat, and your name is De Martainville." "Citizen president," exclaimed the young man, "I am here to be shortened, not to be lengthened! Leave me my name!" A true Frenchman loves a witticism above all things, and the tribunal was so much pleased by Martainville's grim response that it spared his life.

The Krakatoa Eruption.

Perhaps the most remarkable volcanic eruption known was that which took place in August, 1883, at the island of Krakatoa, in the strait of Sunda. Streams of volcanic dust were thrown seventeen miles high, and more than a cubic mile of material was expelled from the volcanic crater. The air waves started by the eruption traveled around the earth seven times. The noise was heard at Macassa, 969 miles away; at Borneo, 1,116 miles distant; in Western Australia, 1,700 miles away, and even at Rodagues, distant more than 2,000 miles. The dust and powdered pumice thrown out of the crater made the entire circuit of the earth before settling down and were the cause of the strange sunsets that were observed for many months.—New York American.

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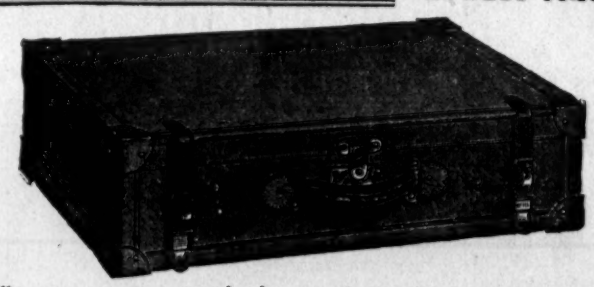

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SPIRITS TURPENTINE

—Winston-Salem, July 30.—The Southbound Railroad Company today awarded the contract for 16 bridges and viaducts to be built along the line from here to Wadesboro, the terminus of the road.

—Newbern, July 30.—Newbern's public building is to have a new clock tower and electric clock, with illuminated dial. It will cost $12,800 and the appropriation was secured by Congressman Thomas.

—Raeford Facts and Figures: Neill S. Blue has had threshed 400 bushels of wheat and rye and a large quantity of oats. A man fixed like that doesn't look at the wheat market every day with a big lump in his throat. His neighbors say Ed Walters has his corn, fodder, wheat, rye, meat, lard, syrup and everything else to eat, and that they are going to work and get in the same fix. Such is independence.

—Goldsboro, N. C., July 30.—A number of engineers, representatives of various paving companies, are here today making a study of the situation preparatory to submitting their bids for the pavement of the sidewalks on fifty-five blocks for the provision of which sidewalk and street improvement the $150,000 bond issue was voted in June. Bids for the contract will be opened Monday.

—Beaufort Outlook: The first hat made in the Beaufort hat factory was turned out this week. The material is white duck and the model a regular yachting hat. These headcovers are just the thing for boating and fishermen and would be fully as satisfactory for wear on the farm, or anywhere else, for that matter. They are light, cool, washable and look well. The hat making business of Beaufort may easily develop into a great industry.

—Greensboro, N. C., July 30.—An impressive example of the great increase in values of real estate of Guildford County is shown by the sale of a farm of 208 acres yesterday for $3,425, near McLeansville, in Jefferson township. The attorney who traced the title found a clear chain for the same tract of 208 acres, through successive purchasers and at the prices as follows: 1854, $500; 1876, $750; 1880, $800; 1898, $1,000; 1903, $1,600; 1909, $3,425.

—Raeford Facts and Figures: Coot McDougald, colored, was found dispensing the ardent from a two-gallon jug behind the Baptist church Saturday night by Policeman Sessoms. After being caught he owned up, gave the names of those to whom he had sold. He was locked up until Monday, when he was given a hearing before Mayor Johnson, found guilty of retailing and bound over to court in a bond in the sum of $200, which he was unable to make and was sent to jail in Fayetteville.

—High Point, July 30.—Several boys who were playing near the water tank Tuesday and one of whom shot through a car window, were arraigned here today on the charge. The ball went whizzing through a window and close to the head of Miss Alice Shaw, an occupant, who was on her way to Aberdeen. At first the boys denied any knowledge of the affair, but later one of them squealed and told Officer Ridge, who was called there, that one of them did it and that the pistol was buried in the mud.

—Sampson Democrat: A citizen of Clinton reports Mr. A. J. Cooper as having a field of exceptionally fine corn. He passed his farm the other day and says that the ears are heavy and from two to four to the stalk. Then we asked Mr. Cooper himself about the variety of corn; he says the same corn has been in the family since 1838, when his grandfather, the late Mr. Sam Johnson, sent Mr. Owen Johnson to Halifax county for some corn, and that it grew on Roanoke river.

—Rocky Mount, July 30.—The case of Alice Staples, the proprietress of a house of ill fame, for the shooting of John Boseman on Monday night, came up in the Recorder's court this morning but was postponed. The hearing was set for next Friday morning. In the meantime the woman is out on bail. The young man continues to hold his own, and is rallying nicely from the operation. He is by no means out of danger as yet, though with a continuation of his recuperation and no set-back there is no reason why he should not be out in a month or two. The Bryson woman who was so severely cut about the head continues to improve and has passed out of danger and it is expected that she may be able to tell her part in the happening when the case comes up for trial on next Friday.

—Raleigh News and Observer, July 30.—Mrs. Robert W. Winston has arrived from Durham to join her husband, ex-Judge R. W. Winston, who came here in the early spring and since that time has been practicing law with ex-Governor Charles B. Aycock. For the present, they will be with Mr. and Mrs. Robert C. Strong on north Blount street. Judge Winston recently purchased the Sherwood Higgs place, corner Blount and North streets, and as soon as certain repairs can be made on the place, he will reside there. Judge and Mrs. Winston will be joined next month by their children, two sons and two daughters, who are now visiting friends elsewhere. The people of Raleigh extend to Judge Winston and his family a cordial welcome to the capital city.

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The undersigned, having duly qualified as Administrator of the estate of Neil D. Emerson, this is to notify all of the creditors of the estate to present their claims, duly verified, to the Administrator, at his office in the City of Wilmington, within twelve months from the date of this notice, or the same will be plead in bar of their recovery.

All parties indebted to the estate are requested to make immediate settlement. T. M. EMERSON,
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NORTHBOUND.

	No. 43.	No. 42.
Lv. Wilmington	9:00 am	7:00 pm
Ar. Goldsboro	12:05 pm	9:55 pm
Ar. Wilson	1:00 pm	10:52 pm
Ar. Rocky Mount	1:35 pm	11:30 pm
Ar. Weldon	4:55 pm	2:47 am
Ar. Norfolk	5:55 pm	
Ar Petersburg	7:05 pm	4:25 am
Ar. Richmond	8:00 pm	5:10 am
Ar. Washington	11:50 pm	8:40 am
Ar. Baltimore	1:15 am	10:03 am
Ar. Philadelphia	3:48 am	12:23 pm
Ar. New York	6:30 am	2:45 pm

SOUTHBOUND.

	No. 41.	No. 49.
Lv. New York	9:25 am	9:25 pm
Ar. Philadelphia	11:37 am	11:48 pm
Lv. Baltimore	2:15 pm	2:46 am
Lv. Washington	3:45 pm	4:20 am
Lv. Norfolk		8:25 am
Lv. Richmond	7:10 pm	6:15 am
Ar. Petersburg	7:47 pm	9:03 am
Ar. Weldon	9:35 pm	11:28 am
Ar. Rocky Mount	10:33 pm	12:55 pm
Ar. Wilson	11:14 am	1:56 pm
Ar. Goldsboro	6:30 am	3:00 pm
Ar. Wilmington	9:25 am	6:00 pm

BETWEEN WILMINGTON AND THE SOUTH.

SOUTHBOUND.

	Via Wilson Daily.	Daily.	Daily.
Lv. Wil't'n	4:55 am	3:10 pm	7:00 pm
Ar. Flor.	9:05 am	7:25 pm	3:55 am
Ar. Col'bia.	12:25 pm	10:45 pm	
Ar. Chars.	1:10 pm	11:25 pm	7:00 am
Ar. Savh.	6:30 pm	2:20 am	9:20 am
Ar. Jk'ville		7:15 am	1:50 pm
Ar. Tampa		7:00 pm	10:30 pm

NORTHBOUND.

	Daily.	Daily.
Lv. Tampa	9:00 pm	10:30 am
Lv. Jacksonville	8:50 am	7:45 pm
Ar. Savannah	12:55 pm	11:59 pm
Lv. Charleston	5:25 pm	5:10 am
Lv. Columbia	4:30 pm	6:00 am
Ar. Florence	7:15 pm	8:55 am
Ar. Wilmington	12:40 am	1:35 pm

BETWEEN WILMINGTON AND SANFORD.

	Westbound. Daily.	Eastbound Daily.
Lv. Wilmington	8:40 am	Ar 8:05 pm
Lv. Fayetteville	12:10 pm	Ar 4:45 pm
Ar. Sanford	1:40 pm	Lv 3:30 pm

BETWEEN WILMINGTON AND NEWBERN.

Daily Except Sunday.

	Northbound.	Southbound.
Lv. Wilmington	3:25 pm	12:50 pm
Ar. Newbern	6:50 pm	Lv 9:30 am

Trains No. 42 and 41 carry Pullman Sleeping Cars between Wilmington and Washington, connecting with Pennsylvania R. R., for all points east.

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TRAINS LEAVE WILMINGTON AS FOLLOWS:

	No. 45.	No. 39.
Lv Wilm't'n	3:00 A.M.	3:20 P.M.
Ar Lumb'ton	5:30 A.M.	5:37 P.M.
Ar. Maxton	6:12 A.M.	6:35 P.M.
Ar. Hamlet	7:00 A.M.	7:30 P.M.
Lv. Hamlet	7:25 A.M.	8:15 P.M.
Ar. Monroe	9:25 A.M.	10:20 P.M.
Ar. Charlotte	10:26 A.M.	11:20 P.M.

No. 45 connects at Hamlet with Nos. 38 and 66 for all points North at Monroe with No. 59 for Atlanta and continues on through to Johnson City, arriving 8:05 P. M.

No. 39 connects at Hamlet with No. 37 for Atlanta, Birmingham, Memphis and Charlotte, with No. 84 for Washington and New York, No. 32 for Portsmouth, Norfolk and No. 43 for Columbia, Savannah and Jacksonville.

For time tables and any information apply to your nearest Ticket Agent, or Call Phone No. 1294.

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THE BEACH

SUBURBAN SCHEDULE

In Effect June 3rd, 1909.

WEEK DAYS.

Leave Front and Princess Streets	Leave The Beach
East Bound	West Bound.
6:30 A. M.	6:10 A. M.
	7:15 A. M.
and every half hour thereafter until	and every half hour thereafter until
11:00 P. M.	
	11:45 P. M.
12:00 P. M.	

Freight.

Leave 9th and Orange streets 6:00 A. M., 10:00 A. M., 4:00 P. M. and 7:00 P. M.

Freight depot open from 5:30 to 6:00 A. M., and from 8:00 A. M. until 7:00 P. M. Freight received at 9th and Orange streets only.

SUNDAYS.

Leave Front and Princess Streets	Leave The Beach
East Bound.	West Bound.
7:00 A. M.	7:15 A. M.
8:30 A. M.	7:45 A. M.
	9:15 A. M.
and every half hour thereafter until	and every half hour thereafter until
11:00 P M	
	11:45 P. M.
12:00 P. M.	

Freight.

Leave 9th and Orange streets at 11:00 A. M.

Freight depot open from 10:00 to 11:00 A. M.

To Carolina Beach and Southport

Schedule.

On and after June 1, 1909, Steamer Wilmington will leave her wharf daily* at 9 o'clock A. M. for Carolina Beach and Southport and at 2:30 P. M. for Carolina Beach. *Sundays leave at 9:15 A. M. and 2:30 P. M. for Carolina Beach and Southport and at 7:30 P. M. for Carolina Beach.

Steamer Southport leaves Southport daily, except Sunday, at 6 A. M. and 2 P. M. Leave Wilmington at 10:15 A. M. Passengers on 2:30 boat from Wilmington and the 2 o'clock boat from Southport change at Carolina Beach for destination.

Commencing June 2, 1909, Steamer Wilmington will make daily trips to the Pier, leaving at 5:15 P. M., except Sunday. Fare 15 cents for the round trip. Freight will be taken on the 2 o'clock boat only.

Additional boat will leave Carolina Beach daily, except Sunday, at 7:15 A. M., arriving at Wilmington at 8:30 A. M.

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MARKET QUOTATIONS

¶ The Latest Reports From the Important Trading Centers and From Local Dealers.

WILMINGTON MARKETS.

STAR OFFICE, July 31.

SPIRITS TURPENTINE — Market steady 47 1-4 cents.

ROSIN—Market, steady, $2.65 per barrel of 280 pounds.

TAR—Firm $1.50.

CRUDE TURPENTINE — Firm, $1.75 per barrel for hard; $2.90 for dip, and $3.50 for virgin.

Quotations same day last year — spirits turpentine, nothing doing; rosin steady $2.30, tar firm $1.50; crude turpentine firm $2.00, $2.70 and $3.75.

RECEIPTS.

Spirits Turpentine	22
Rosin	64
Tar	56
Crude Turpentine	90

Receipts, same day last year 146 casks spirits turpentine; 659 barrels rosin; 11 barrels tar; 29 barrels crude turpentine.

COTTON MARKET.

Market—Nominal.

Same day last year—Nominal.

Receipts—(—) bales, same day last year (—) bales.

PRODUCE MARKET.

(Quoted by W. J. Meredith, July 31st:)

PEANUTS—North Carolina prime 65@70; extra prime, 72 1-2; fancy 75@80c; Virginia, prime 65@70; extra prime 75@80c; Spanish $1.00 to $1.05.

CORN—Firm, 98@1.00 per bushel for mixed.

N. C. HAMS—Good demand; hams 16@17c; shoulders 13c; sides 13c.

EGGS—Good demand, 19@20 cents.

CHICKENS—Spring 12 1-2 to 25c.; grown 35 cents.

BEESWAX—Firm at 27@28c.

TALLOW—Firm at 4 1-2c per pound

BEEF CATTLE—Good demand at 2@4c per pound on foot.

HIDES—Dr. flint 10c; green, 8c per pound.

IRISH POTATOES—90c@$1.00 per bushel.

SWEET POTATOES—Good demand $1.25 per bushel for new yams.

WOOL—Burr 18c., free of burr 22c.

GEESE—Out of season.

PORK—Out of Season.

SHEEP—Old dull $1.00@$2.00 per head. Lambs, good demand $1.25@$3.00.

TURKEYS—Out of season.

THE COTTON MARKET.

(By Wire to the Morning Star.)

New York, July 31.—The cotton market opened steady at an advance of 3 points to a decline of 4 points, quickly easing off to a net decline of about 7 to 8 points on the general list under commission house realizing and local bear pressure. Owing to the holidays there were no Liverpool cables and while domestic trade accounts and weather reports were bullish, the market was influenced by unfavorable foreign trade reports, realizing and an idea that bullish bureau had been discounted. The market steadied to within 2 or 3 points of last night's finals during the middle of the morning, but continued nervous. The market closed very steady with prices net 7 to 13 points lower.

Receipts at the ports today 1,935 bales against 3,930 last week and 2,542 last year; for the week 18,000 bales against 14,347 last week and 21,893 last year. Today's receipts at New Orleans 947 bales against 298 last year.

Spot cotton closed quiet, 5 points lower; middling uplands 12.80; middling gulf 13.05; sales 505 bales. Futures opened steady and closed very steady.

August	12.37	12.23
September	——	12.23
October	12.39	12.30
November	b12.30	12.33
January	12.39	12.30
February	——	12.31
March	12.41	12.33
April	——	12.33
May	12.41	12.35

PORT MOVEMENT.

(By Wire to the Morning Star.)

Galveston—Steady, 12 1-8; net receipts 259; stock 12,713.

New Orleans—Quiet, 12 3-16; net receipts 947; stock 63,695.

Mobile—Nominal, 12 1-4; net receipts 467; stock 14,001.

Savannah—Quiet, 12 3-8; net receipts 99; stock 17,663.

Charleston—Stock 2,705.

Wilmington—Nominal; stock 225.

Norfolk—Steady, 12 1-2; net receipts 163; stock 6,376.

Baltimore—Nominal, 12 3-4; stock 3,000.

New York—Quiet, 12.80; stock 129,578.

Boston—Quiet ,12.80.

Philadelphia—Steady, 13.05; net receipts 445; stock 1,375.

Total today, at all ports, Net 1,935; Great Britain 1,697; Continent 2,460; Japan 400; stock 251,334.

Consolidated at all ports, Net 1,935; Great Britain 1,697; Continent 2,460; Japan 400.

Total since Sept. 1st., at all ports, Net 9,890,935; Great Britain 3,466,883; France 1,028,073; Continent 3,483,358; Japan 200,539; Mexico 30,746.

INTERIOR MOVEMENT.

(By Wire to the Morning Star.)

Houston—Holiday; net receipts 333; stock 12,866.

Augusta—Steady, 12 3-4; net receipts 5; stock 7,845.

Memphis—Quiet, 12.00; net receipts 24; stock 14,019.

St. Louis—Stock 18,198.

Cincinnati—Net receipts 56; stock 12,448.

Louisville—Firm, 12 1-8.

Little Rock—Quiet, 11 1-2; net receipts 13; stock 5,042.

Total today—Net receipts 431; gross receipts 456; shipments 1,629; sales 656; stock 71,406.

Hear the "Blue Danube," by the Lumina orchestra this afternoon. **

THE DRY GOODS MARKET.

(By Wire to the Morning Star.)

New York, July 31.—The dry goods market was moderately quiet during the day. Shipments on advance orders were very active and large. Bleached goods are firm and further advancements were noted. Staple prints are being ordered steadily. Fine cotton are active.

MARKET GOSSIP.

(By Wire to the Morning Star.)

New York, July 31.—There was free buying of stocks from all quarters of the market today and operations on the long side were conducted with great boldness and apparent confidence and at rapidly advancing prices. There was some selling to realize profits interspersed with the heavy buying. Prices attained the highest level on the movement, United States Steel, Union Pacific and Atchison making new record figures and Reading rising to within 1 1-2 points of its previous highest price in 1906. No particular cause was assigned for the renewed strength of the market beyond the general consideration of the good effects expected from getting the tariff struggle away.

The aggressive and rapid advance in United States Steel was accepted as an expression of confidence on the part of the influential banking group which is most conspicuous in the financial affairs of the corporation. The loan expansion disclosed by the bank statement was not expected in view of the week's speculative activity and the expected increase in cash holdings was not traceable in the showing.

Bonds were firm. Total sales par value $2,738,000. United States bonds are unchanged on call for the week. Total sales today 606,100 shares.

FINANCIAL MARKET.

(By Wire to the Morning Star.)

New York, July 31.—Money on call nominal. Time loans very firm but dull; 60 days 2 1-2 per cent., and 90 days 2 1-2 to 2 3-4 per cent., six months 3 3-4 per cent. Prime mercantile paper 3 3-4 to 4 per cent., sterling exchange easy with actual business in bankers bills at 4.8530 to 4.8540 for 60 day bills and at 4.8680 to 4.8685 for demand. Commercial bills at 4.84 1-2 to 4.85. Bar silver 50 3-4. Mexican dollars 44.

NEW YORK BONDS.

U. S. refunding 2s reg	100 3-4
U. S. refunding 2s cou	100 3-4
U. S. 3s reg	101
U. S. 3s cou	101
U. S. 4s reg	117
U. S. 4s cou	119 1-2
American Tobacco Co. 6s	112
Atlantic Coast Line 4s	95 7-8
Baltimore & Ohio 4s	100 1-4
L. & N. Unified 4s	100 1-4
Seaboard Air Line 4s	89
Southern Railway 5s	113
U. S. Steel 2nd 5s	100

Closing Stock Lists.

Amalgamated Copper	84 3-4
Amr. Car & Foundry	66 1-4
Amr. Cotton Oil	66 1-2
Amr. Locomotive	65 1-8
Amr. Smelting & Ref.	98 1-2
Amr. Sugar Refining	131 1-8
Atchison	119 3-8
Atchison pfd	104 1-2
Atlantic Coast Line	133
Baltimore & Ohio ex div	119 1-8
Baltimore & Ohio pfd ex div	93
Chesapeake & Ohio	78 3-4
Chicago, Mil. & St. Paul	158
Colorado & Southern	55 1-2
Erie	37
Erie 1st pfd	54 1-4
Erie 2nd pfd	44
Great Northern pfd	153 3-8
Kansas City Southern	47 3-4
Kansas City Southern pfd	72 3-4
L. & N.	145
Northern Pacific	154 7-8
Pennsylvania	139 3-4
People's Gas ex div	114
Reading	161 5-8
Republic Steel pfd ex div	106 1-4
Rock Island Co.	39 1-8
Rock Island Co. pfd	77
Southern Pacific	134 3-4
Southern Pacific pfd	
Southern Railway	33 1-4
Southern Railway pfd	73 1-8
Standard Oil Co.	693
Union Pacific	200 7-8
Union Pacific pfd	103 3-4
U. S. Steel	73 7-8
U. S. Steel pfd	128
Va.-Car. Chemical	54
Western Union	76 1-2
Westinghouse Electric Co.	85

NEW YORK PRODUCE MARKET.

(By Wire to the Morning Star.)

New York, July 31.—Flour quiet and about steady. Minnesota patents 6.00 to 6.50; Winter patents 5.75 to 6.25.

Rye Flour—Barely steady; 4.35 to 4.90.

Corn Meal—Steady; 1.55 to 1.70.

Rye and Barley—Dull.

Wheat—Spot strong; No. 2 red nominal elevator; No. 2 red new 1.17 3-8; middle August f.o.b. afloat; No. 2 hard winter old, 1.16 3-8. Options 1-2 to 5-8c net higher. Sept. 1.12 3-8; Dec. 1.10 1-4; May 1.12 1-4.

Corn—Spot steady; No. 2 old 80 1-2 elevator; No. 2 new 63 1-4 winter shipment. Options 3-8c lower. Sept. 74; Dec. 65 1-4.

Oats—Dull; mixed 53 nominal.

Lard—Firm.

Rice—Steady; domestic fair to extra 3 to 6 3-4; Japan nominal.

Molasses—Steady; New Orleans open kettle good to choice 28 to 42.

Sugar—Raw firm; fair refining 3.52; Refined—Steady; confectioners A, 4.75.

Coffee—Quiet; Rio No. 7, 7 3-8 to 7 1-2; Santos No. 4, 9c. Mild—Dull; Cordova 9 1-2 to 12 1-2. Futures steady and net unchanged to 10 points higher.

Cotton Seed Oil—Abount steady on further buying for refiners, scattered speculative demand and professional support; August 5.58 to 5.66; September 5.68 to 5.69; October 5.77 to 5.78; December 5.65 to 5.69; prime crude nominal; prime summer yellow 5.55 to 5.70; prime white 5.60 to 6.00; prime winter yellow 5.60 to 6.00.

Freights and Peanuts—Unchanged.

Cabbages—Unchanged.

Potatoes—Weak; Long Island per barrel 1.50 to 2.25; Jersey per barrel 1.85 to 2.15; Southern sweets per barrel 2.00 to 2.75.

Butter—Unchanged.

Cheese and Eggs—Steady.

CHICAGO PRODUCE MARKET.

(By Wire to the Morning Star.)

Chicago, July 31.—July wheat which, during the height of its activity this month, went to 1.29 and thereby attracted heavy shipments of all the wheat that could be raked and scraped from country graneries, wound up today with a final quotation of 1.05 7-8 to 1.06, 1 1-2 to 15-8 under yesterday. September closed 5-8 to 3-4c higher, and the general tone of the market was stronger. Corn and oats were steady, provisions firm.

	Opening.	Highest.	Closing.
Wheat—			
July	1 07 1-4	1 07 3-8	1 06
Sept	1 03 1-2	1 04 3-4	1 04 1-2
Dec.	1 01 7-8	1 03	1 02 3-4
Corn—			
July	69	70	68 1-8
Sept	66 1-8	66 3-8	66 1-8
Dec.	55	55 1-8	55
Ooats—			
July	42	43 1-4	43
Sept	38	38 1-2	38 3-8
Dec.	38 3-8	38 7-8	38 5-8
Mess Pork, per bbl.—			
July	20 42 1-2	20 45	20 45
Sept	20 55	20 57 1-2	20 57 1-2
Lard, per 100 lbs—			
July	11 27 1-2	11 27 1-2	11 27 12
Sept	11 55	11 30	11 27 1-2
Short Ribs, per 100 lbs.—			
July	10 95	10.95	10 92 1-2
Sept	10 92	10 92 1-2	10 92 1-2

NAVAL STORES.

(By Wire to the Morning Star.)

New York, July 31—Turpentine firm at 51 1-2. Rosin quiet.

Savannah, July 31—Turpentine firm 48 1-4; sales 265; receipts 766; shipments 52. Rosin firm; sales 2,384; receipts 2,325; shipments 990; stock 144,898. Quote: B, 2.90 to 3.00; D, 3.10 to 3.15; E, 3.50 to 3.60; H, 3.70; G, 3.80 to 3.85; H, 4.00 to 4.15; I, 4.30; to 4.35; K, 5.05; M, 5.00 to 5.15; N, 5.35 to 5.40; WG, 5.70; WW, 6.20.

Charleston, July 31.—Turpentine quiet 48 1-4. Rosin quiet. Quote: A B C, 2.95 to 3.00; D, 3.10 to 3.15; E, 3.55 to 3.60; F, 3.70 to 3.75; G, 3.80 to 3.85; H, 4.000 to 4.15; I, 4.35; K, 5.05; M, 5.15 to 5.20; N, 5.40; WG, 5.70; WW, 6.20.

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BY RIVER AND RAIL.

Receipts of Naval Stores and Cotton Yesterday.

Wilmington, N. C., July 31, 1909.

C. C. Railroad—1 cask spirits turpentine; 1 barrel crude turpentine.

W. & W. Railroad—3 casks spirits turpentine; 49 barrels crude turpentine.

W. C. & A. Railroad—2 casks spirits turpentine; 27 barrels rosin; 4 barrels tar; 23 barrels crude turpentine.

A. & Y. Railroad—8 casks spirits turpentine; 10 barrels tar; 12 barrels crude turpentine.

Str. City of Fayetteville—8 casks spirits turpentine; 37 barrels rosin; 42 barrels tar; 5 barrels crude turpentine.

Total—22 casks spirits turpentine; 64 barrels rosin; 56 barrels tar; 90 barrels crude turpentine.

MARINE DIRECTORY.

List of Vessels Now in Port of Wilmington, N. C.

Steamers.

Johanna (Swd.), 2,142 tons, Noyberg, Heide & Co.

Gladestry, 1,521 tons, Jackson, Alexander Sprunt & Son.

Schooners.

White Wings, 654 tons, Combes, C. D. Maffitt.

Joel Cook, 319 tons, Loveland, C. D. Maffitt.

Madeleine, 394 tons, Follette, C. D. Maffitt.

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has placed Wireless Telegraphy on a sound commercial basis; has now in opperation 72 Land Stations and stations on 171 vessels of 51 Steamship Lines, and is rapidly developing. The United States Government is one of the 12 governments of the world using UNITED apparatus, the U. S. Governmet having equipped all the first-class battleships and revenue cutters with Wireless Telegraphy, Three large factories, with a combined-annual output of over $1,000-000, are operated by the Company, which is already earning large profits, and are working overtime to keep up with orders. The Company has no debts, other than current monthly bills, no bonds and a low capitalization, and is firmly established.

What Part of This Great Telegraph System Is to Be Yours?

The Wireless Telegraph is not an experiment, but an established fact; not a luxury, but a public neccessity; not a prospect nor hope of the future, but a success of today. It overcomes the elements and controls to a large extent the possibility of accident on land and sea. A factor so great in the preservation of life and property must be recognized and utilized by every natton. The Wireless Telegraph connects points hitherto impossible and minimizes the expense of communication, cost of building and equipping stations, and maintainence. The old monopolies must give way to this latest and greatest invention.

Don't neglect this Opportunity

Wireless Telegraphy having been endorsed by the United States Government, it is at least worthy of your investigation. Invest $30 to $3,000 in **United Wireless 7 Per Cent. Preferred, Participating Stock,** and reap some of the benefits of this greatest of all inventions. You owe it to yourself to investigate this splendid investment opportunity before it is too late. Whether or not you can buy stock, investigate anyway.

The stock of the UNITED WIRELESS TELEGRAPH CO, is rapidly increasing in value and price. Another advance goes into effect before August 15. The price of the 7 per cent. Preferred Participating Stock is now $30 a share.

This Company will bear the closest investigation.

Write for full information, what the Company is doing, plan of organization, list of vessels equipped, location of stations, etc., or call on

W. E. DUNCAN,
State Fiscal Agent for North Carolina,
9 Murchison Nat'l Bank Bldg. Wilmington, N. C.

Selling Price of United Wireless Advances Several Dollars a Share Before August 15.

SUNDAY SERVICES.

Announcements by Wilmington Pastors for Pulpits Today.

First Church of Christ, Scientist, church edifice Market and 17th streets Services at 11 A. M. No night service. Subject of lesson sermon, "Love". All are invited.

St. Paul's Lutheran church, corner Sixth and Market streets, Rev. W. A. Snyder pastor. Eighth Sunday after Trinity. English service at 11 A. M. No vesper service. Sunday School at 9:45 A. M. A cordial invitation to all Seats free.

Grace Methodist Church: Preaching at 11 A. M. by Rev. Mr. Kubota and at 8 P. M. by the Rev. K. D. Holmes. Sunday School at 4:30 P. M. Public cordially invited to all services.

Second Advent Christian Church, Sixth street, between Church and Castle, Rev. Joseph P. King, pastor. Services today, in the morning from 11 A. M. to 12 noon, at night, 7:30 to 8:45 P. M. Sabath school at 3:30 P. M. Prayer meeting Tuesday evening at 7:30 P. M.

Rev. A. J. Moncrief, pastor of Tabernacle Baptist church, of Raleigh, will occupy the pulpit of the First Baptist church today at 11 A. M. and 8:15 P. M. Public cordially invited.

St. Thomas' Church: First mass 7 A. M. Last mass 9:30 A. M. No evening service.

St. Matthew's English Lutheran Church, North Fourth street, Rev. Geo. S. Bearden, pastor: Sunday School 10 A. M., W. W. Koch, supt. Lay service at 11 A. M. Services at 8 P. M. conducted by Rev. W. A. Snyder. Prayer meeting on Wednesday 8 P. M. as usual. Everybody is invited to attend all the services.

Wrightsville Beach Chapel—Services at the chapel on Wrightsville Beach will be conducted Sunday, Aug. 18th, 8:30 P. M., by Rev. J. M. Wells, D. D. A cordial invitation is extended to all.

St. John's Church, Third and Red Cross streets, Rev. Wm. E. Cox, rector. Litany, Holy Communion and sermon 11 A. M. Evening Prayer 6 P. M. All are cordially invited.

Rev. E. T. Bailey, pastor Mt. Zion A. M. E. Church, colored, subject for Sunday 11 A. M. will be the "Philosophy of Happiness in Heaven." The public is invited to be present.

Public Worship will be held by the Advent Christian Church of Wilmington in the lecture room of the church, corner Fourth and Church streets at 11 A. M. and 8:15 P. M. Sunday School 3:30 P. M. The Lord's Supper will be observed at the night service.

St. James' Episcopal Church: Morning service and communion at 11 o'clock; evening service at 6 o'clock conducted by Rev. Thos. P. Noe.

Rev. J. H. Thompson, D. D., colored, of Tarboro, is conducting a series of meetings at the Ebenezer Baptist Church, colored. Baptism today at 12:30. The subject for Sunday night will be "After the Ball is Over." The public is cordially invited to all of these services.

Cured Hay Fever and Summer Cold.

A. S. Nusbaum, Batesville, Indiana, writes: "Last year I suffered for three months with a summer cold so distressing that it interefered with my business. I had many of the symptoms of hay fever, and a doctor's prescription did not reach my case, and I took several medicines which seemed only to aggravate it. Fortunately I insisted upon having Foley's Honey and Tar. It quickly cured me. My wife has since used Foley's Honey and Tar with the same success." Robert R. Bellamy.

Indications of Catarrh of the Head.

The symptoms of Catarrh of the head are: discharge from the nasal passage, mucous dropping into the throat, pains under the cheek bones, severe headache on taking cold, dizziness and confusion of the senses. Catarrh of the head is a stubborn disease and hard to cure, but Rydale's Catarrh Remedy will cure nine cases in ten. You risk nothing in using this preparation, as every bottle is sold on a guarantee. It is the only remedy in the world that is used both locally in the nasal passages and taken internally. Sold and guaranteed by Robert R. Bellamy.

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like its name is in every sense of the word "The People's Bank" a bank where all are made to feel at home. Open an account with "The People's" on or before Monday, August 2nd, and your interest will begin from August 1st. jul 31 3t

Consider

yourself and family, take a trip to the pier. Boat leaves 5:15 P. M., 15 cents round trip. jul 1 tf

August 10th.

Junior Order American Mechanics, Carolina Beach. Music all day, dancing. **

"Unser Heinrich."

by the Lumina orchestra tonight. **

BASE BALL

National League.

Pittsburg, July 31.—Pittsburg could get only one hit off Wiltse and therefore the New Yorks won with ease. Only two Pittsburg players reached first base. New York did not fail to get at least one hit in every inning except the eighth. In the ninth inning it got three. Wagner is still suffering from the wrench in his side sustained in sliding home in one of the Cincinnati games.

Pittsburg	000 000 000	0	1 0
New York	000 020 00x	4	10 0

Maddox and Gibson; Wiltse and Meyers; time 1:30.

St. Louis, July 31.—St. Louis defeated Boston in the ninth inning today 3 to 2. Ferguson relieved Brown in the ninth inning and hits in succession by Phelps, Konethey and Evans netted the winning run.

St. Louis	200 000 001	3	6 0
Boston	200 000 000	2	7 1

Harmon and Phelps; Brown, Ferguson and Graham; time 1:42.

Chicago, July 31.—Chance, the first man up in the second single, was sacrificed to second, stole third and scored the only run of the game on Dooin's wide throw. So effective was the pitching and brilliant the fielding that only one other Chicago man reached third.

Chicago	010 000 00x	1	7 0
Philadelphia	000 000 000	0	6 1

Reulbach and Archer; Corridon, Sparks and Dooin; time 1:26.

Cincinnati, July 31.—Cincinnati and Brooklyn were to have played a doubleheader this afternoon but rain stopped the game in the eighth inning of the first session and the second game could not be played. Beescher scored the only run of the contest in the first inning.

Cincinnati	100 000 0x	1	3 1
Brooklyn	000 000 00	0	5 1

Gasper and McLean; Bell and Bergen; time 1:20.

American League.

New York, July 31.—Detroit and New York divided honors in a doubleheader here today, the home team winning the first game by a score of 7 to 2 and the visitors taking the second 7 to 4. In the last game Warhop was wild. Cobb made a sensational catch when Summers appeared to be weakening.

Detroit	001 001 000	2	5 3
New York	310 100 20x	7	10 0

Mullin and Stanage; Wilson and Kleinow; time 1:32.

Detroit	000 030 310	7	10 1
New York	000 000 031	4	8 3

Summers and Schmidt; Warhop and Sweeney; time 1:47.

Washington, July 31.—Washington failed to score a run in today's doubleheader, the fifth here this week. A fumble by McBride in the initial game gave Chicago its only run, while Smith easily outpitched Groom in the second.

Washington	000 000 000	0	2 1
Chicago	010 000 000	1	3 2

Johnson and Street; Burns and Payne; time 1:20.

Washington	000 000 000	0	5 0
Chicago	021 000 100	4	9 1

Groom, Ohl and Street; Smith and Sullivan.

Philadelphia, July 31.—Cleveland split even with Philadelphia here today before the second largest crowd of the season. The first game was a pitcher's battle. Philadelphia won the second contest in the ninth inning on Davis' base hit, a passed ball and Lapp's single.

Philadelphia	000 100 000	1	4 2
Cleveland	020 000 001	3	6 2

Morgan, Bender and Lapp; Joss and Clarke; time 1:50.

Philadelphia	030 000 001	4	9 1
Cleveland	200 100 000	3	6 1

Coombs, Krause and Lapp; Young and Easterly; time 1:50.

Boston, July 31.—A misjudged fly by Griggs in the first inning of today's game allowed Wagner a home run and gave Boston a lead which St. Louis could not overcome, the locals winning 7 to 2.

St. Louis	002 000 000	2	6 2
Boston	311 000 02x	7	9 3

Powell and Criger; Arellanes and Carrigan; time 1:42.

Southern League.

At Atlanta 5; New Orleans 0.
Second: Atlanta 4; New Orleans 4.
At Nashville 1; Memphis 0.
At Birmingham 3; Little Rock 2.
2nd: Birmingham 3; Little Rock 0.
At Montgomery 6; Mobile 1.
2nd: Mobile 0; Montgomery 4.

South Atlantic League.

At Jacksonville 0; Savannah 7.
At Knoxville 1; Columbus 0.
At Macon 3; Augusta 4.
2nd: Macon 1; Augusta 1. (7 innings, darkness.)
At Columbia 5; Chattanooga 2.

Virginia League.

At Richmond 7; Lynchburg 3.
At Portsmouth 2; Norfolk 3.
At Danville-Roanoke, rain.

Carolina League.

At Winston 0; Greenville 1.
At Charlotte 1; Greensboro 0.
At Spartanburg 2; Anderson 5.

HOTEL AT TYBEE BURNED

Hundred Guests at Georgia Summer Resort Escaped.

(By Wire to The Morning Star.)

Savannah, Ga., July 31.—A night watchman's prompt work in sounding the fire alarm enabled the hundred guests at Hotel Tybee a summer resort on Tybee Island, to escape safely from the structure when it burned before dalight today. The fire consumed the main building with a loss of $65,000 about half of which was covered by insurance.

When the fire broke out the hotel was in total darkness but the guests got out with remarkable little confusion.

FATAL FLOOD IN MANCHURIA

Thousand People Drowned and 7,000 Houses Submerged.

(By Cable to the Morning Star.)

Tokio, July 31.—News has reached here of a terrible flood in the province of Chang Chun, Manchuria. In the city of Kirin, situated at the head of steam navigation on the river Sungari, 225 miles from Mukden, 1,000 people have been drowned and 7,000 houses submerged. The water is still rising.

COMING TO WRIGHTSVILLE

President of Association of County Commissioners Urges Attendance.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Raleigh, N. C. July 31.—President C. E. Foy, of the State Association of County Commissioners of North Carolina, is urging every board of county commissioners in the State to send one or more of its members to the annual meeting of the Association at Wrightsville Beach August 10th and 11th as the guests of the New Hanover county commissioners. The association discusses profitably all manner of problems that come up in the administration of county affairs and great benefit is sure to come to every county that sends delegates to Wilmington where the business sessions will be held with pleasure excursions on the side to the beach. An act of the last Legislature empowers county boards to provide for the expenses of members to these annual meetings of the Association.

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AGAIN WE CALL your attention to the new series of stock which will be issued by The People's Building & Loan Association on next Saturday, August 7th. Already a large number of shares have been pledged. Building & Loan Associations are endorsed by all classes, especially by those who have owned stock in them. There is no better association than The People's. Don't neglect to subscribe for stock before Saturday. Shares cost 25 cents and are payable weekly or monthly. Wm. F. Robertson, president; D. R. Foster, secretary and treasurer, office 206 Princess street. 'phone 1220. au 1-tf.

ANYTHING IN MECHANT tailoring line go to Leger Meyer, 109 Princess street, second floor. Some nice Summer suitings on hand at a great discount. au 1-1t*

FOR SALE—Valuable store and dwelling property, northeast corner of Chesnut and Seventh streets, running to MacRae street. A bargain to quick purchaser. Also a fine lot with dwelling thereon, on South Third street, east side; bear that in mind, 99x185 feet. We are not offering this as a bargain, but to those who value a beautiful location for its own sake, and the pleasure it gives in its ownership. Smith & Lord, 114 Princess street. 'Phone 766. au 1-tf.

MONEY TO LOAN on diamonds, watches, jewelry and all kinds of personal property at Uncle Charley's Pawn Shop, 108 Market street. au 1-tf.

THE YOUNG PEOPLE'S Society of St. Matthew's Lutheran church will give a searchlight excursion on the steamer Wilmington Friday night, August 13th. The trip will be 25 cents. Refreshments will be served. A good time is assured all who go. au 1-8-13-3t.

ANNOUNCEMENT—I wish to announce to my friends and the public that I have taken charge of the Brown Hotel, Chadbourn, N. C., and will guarantee satisfaction to all my guests. J. E. Clayton, Chadbourn, N. C. au 1-4-7-3t*

SOFT DRINK SALESMEN wanted. Yearly contract, $150 per month and expenses. Freight prepaid on shipments. Los Angeles Cider Co., Atlanta, Ga. au 1-1t*

AGENTS—$75 monthly selling Star egg beater; works with one hand; lightning seller; sample free. E. Thomas Co., desk 424, Dayton, Ohio. au 1-1t*

FOR SALE—At a bargain, one brand new 25-foot speed hull; will guarantee her to be the fastest boat on the river with proper power. W. A. McGowan. au 8-1t*

FOR RENT—7-room house comparatively new with electric lights, 909 North Fifth street. Also the large store, No. 111 South Front street. Terms reasonable. Possession at once. A. D. Wessell. au 1-1t

SALESMEN wanted to sell to grocers, druggists and confectioners; $100 per month and expenses. California Cider & Extract Company. au 1-1t*

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10 PER CENT. off on all ladies', children's and gentlemen's oxfords; all Summer goods at cost. Stewart & Otersen, 603 North Fourth street. 'Phone 1396. au 1-1t*

SPENDING THE SUMMER on the Beach. There is no better time than now to have your residence wired for electric lights, cheaper than oil or gas. The conveniences of electricity will pay for wiring a residence in one month's time. I have a large stock of electric fans, electric irons, water heaters, bread toasters, coffee percolators and electric curling irons, that must be sold regardless of price. Have a large force of electricians and can do your house wiring promptly at a small cost. New and complete line of chandeliers, glassware, etc., to select from. Full line of supplies for automobiles and gas launches. J. O. Brock, 123 Market street, 'phone 573. au 1-6t.

VALUABLE DOWNTOWN property for sale. The building now occupied by F. H. Krahnke & Sons, No. 111 Chesnut street, must be sold at once, lot 28x128 with new two-story brick building 28x105, public alley on both sides and rear. Building contains handsome store, with offices in rear and eight desirable living rooms with all conveniences on second floor. Price and terms reasonable. Call early if interested as this piece of property must be sold at once. H. F. Wilder, Sales Agent. au 1-1t.

WANTED—Two furnished rooms for light housekeeping with privilege of bath. Must be within two or three blocks of postoffice. Address "C. L. D." care of Star. jl 31-2t.

THE B. Y. P. U. of the Southside Baptist church will run a moonlight excursion to Carolina Beach, Tuesday night, August 3rd. Special programme at the beach. Boat leaves at 7:30. Fare 25 cents. Everybody welcome. jl 31-3t.

WANTED—A cook, waiter and dishwasher at once at Delmonico branch, Wrightsville Beach. jl 31-5t.

FOR RENT—A few newly furnished rooms, also table boarders wanted. Rates reasonable. Apply 119 Orange, or 'phone 1670. aug 1-1t

PORTRAITS—Special rates on most all sizes and styles of photographs. Enlarging, copying and framing. U. C. Ellis Studio. jl 16-tf.

WANTED SALESMEN—Cider and phosphate salesmen. Liberal salary or high commissions with $30.00 weekly in advance. Red Cross Vinegar Co., St. Louis, Missouri. ju 27 su 52t

FOR RENT—Store 108 North Water street. Possession given at once. Apply to Morris Bear & Bro. jul 25 su we to se 1.

FOR RENT—From October 1st, store No. 116 Market, near Front street now and for the past ten years occupied by Mr. J. Weil as a retail dry goods store. This is one of the largest stores in the city, site 25x120 feet, with large plate glass show windows, fine shelving and counters. Second floor above store can be secured if desired. B. H. J. Ahrens. jl 28-2w.

WANTED—At once a young man who has had some experience in feeding job presses and using cutting machine. Apply at Star office. ju 27 3t

FOUND—On Fifth street, corner of Castle, a druggist that sends all over the city, gets prescriptions, fills and returns without extra cost. 'Phone 192 and 1277. jl 9-tf.

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SEND YOUR FILMS to the Gem Studio, 114 Market street. Any size film developed, ten cents. Any size picture finished for five cents. Titmas & Foltz, props. fe 17-tf.

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STOCK WANTED—25 shares Atlantic Coast Line, of Connecticut; 10, Wilmington Savings and Trust Co.; 10, People's Savings Bank; 25, Tidewater Power Company, common; 10, Hartsville Cotton Mills. Name lowest prices. C. E. Taylor, Jr. jul 30 6t

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844 Bushels Best Meal.
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296 Bales No. 2 Hay.
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NOTICE.

A meeting of the stockholders of the New River Oyster Company is hereby called in Wilmington, at the office of the Secretary, on the 1st day of September, 1909, for the purpose of considering the expediency of dissolving the corporation, as recommended by the Directors.

THOS. D. MEARES,
au 1 1aw 4w Secretary.

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SOUTHERN COLONIZATION

Its Success Abundantly Exemplified in Operations of Carolina Trucking Development Company, of Wilmington, North Carolina.

LOCAL ENTERPRISE AN OBJECT LESSON

Extension of This Great Movement Means Much For Development of Agricultural Resources of North Carolina and the South—Sketch of Colonies Already Established and History of the Work Here—Other Interesting Notes, Etc.

BY W. E. LAWSON.

It is equally true that as the future of agriculture in the South must ultimately depend upon intensified farming—the cultivation of the small and well tilled farm in contradistinction to the superficial attention given to the broad and many acres of the old-time plantation when all conditions were totally different from those of today—that the problem of foreign immigration in the congested portions of the North must in its last analysis find its solution in the turning of this tide of ever increasing population to the great undeveloped country lying in the interior, especially to the southward where climatic and other conditions are most favorable and where the opportunities for development are more bountiful and far more attractive.

These two facts of equal economic soundness, taken correlatively, form the basis for North Carolina's most pretentious, systematic and most promising colonization project—that of the Carolina Trucking Development Company, of this city, now 5 years old and advanced beyond the experimental stage, upon a firm foundation, of which it is the purpose of this article to treat as briefly and concisely as possible.

Nearly four years of practical operation demonstrates that North Carolina's first colonization project, that of the Carolina Trucking Development Company, is an assured success. The scheme can no longer be looked upon or spoken of as an experiment. All of the five colonies are now firmly established and the settlers are not only happy and contended, but are prosperous. The expression of contentment on the countenances of the colonists and the appearances of their little farms speak more eloquently of the success of the gigantic undertaking than it is possible to portray in cold type. One needs only to pay a visit to the colonies, no matter how brief the sojourn, to be convinced that the plan upon which the company is working is based upon a secure foundation—one that will endure and eventually aid materially in the development of the vast resources of eastern North Carolina.

The colonization plan for this section was conceived by Mr. Hugh MacRae, than whom there is no more aggressive and progressive citizen in Wilmington, and whatever success has been achieved is due to his indefatigable energy, enthusiasm for the upbuilding of North Carolina, his ability and determination. His sole purpose in undertaking this great project was to develop the vast acres of land around Wilmington, especially adapted for trucking, which were virgin forests. His ideas were fully developed and every detail of the scheme thrashed out before any announcement of the undertaking was made. When the public became aware of what he had in his mind the scheme was almost ready to be tried in a practical way. He has been and is closely identified with the work and is constantly devising new plans for the betterment of the colonists. The active management of the affairs of the company for the past three years has been in the capable and efficient hands of Mr. C. Van Leuven, second vice president. The company is indeed fortunate in having such a broad-minded, progressive, yet conservative, man as the active head of the undertaking. Mr. Van Leuven's careful and thorough work is amply reflected in all the colonies.

In the five colonies that have been firmly established there are several hundred people, representing many different nationalities. The settlers are all satisfied with their lot, as they have a right to be, and their achievements in the short time they have been dwellers in this section show conclusively the boundless possibilities in North Carolina for the industrious and law-abiding immigrant. The hundreds of acres of idle land in North Carolina and the South needs only to be developed either by natives or by desirable immigrants such as are found in the colonies of the Carolina Trucking Development Company. What this kind of development would mean to the South can hardly be over-estimated. The work of the Carolina Trucking Development Company is only a starter—just enough has been done to show the soundness of the theory of the promoters. It will doubtless expand until every section of the State and many sections of other States will be developed along the lines upon which this company has based its operations. The company in many cases makes a careful and somewhat prolonged investigation in the old country of the moral standing of those desiring to come here, and of their particular fitness and adaptability for the work they would engage in here. Not everyone desiring to settle in the colonies of the Carolina Trucking Development Company is allowed to do so. Only the best class of immigrants are wanted and no other is taken. The greater majority of the settlers are poor financially, very poor in fact, but they are people of high moral character and of an industrious turn. One reason the colonies have not grown faster is that the company is choosing those it would have as settlers. The officers are working on the idea that it is better to have a few settlers of the best type of citizenship than to have thousands among which number might be a number of undesirable people.

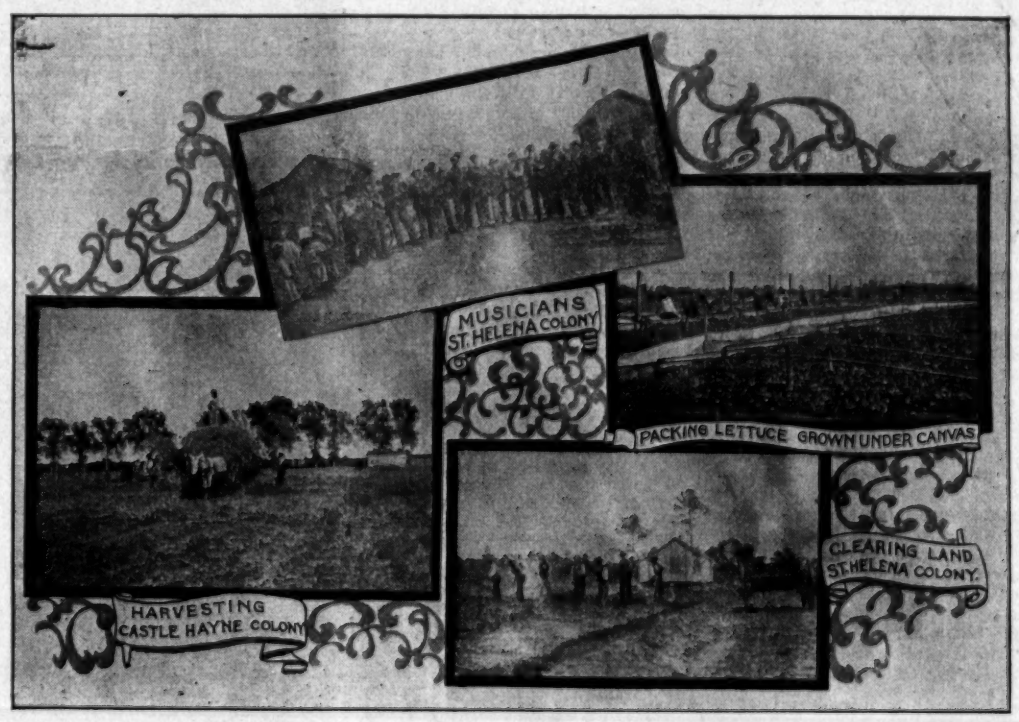
The climate is mild and healthful, allowing farming every month in the year; both heat and cold are so tempered by the close approach of the Gulf stream to the coast off the Cape Fear that the climatic conditions are unsurpassed; the soil is of a light warm sandy loam, underlaid by clay, especially adapted for trucking; the rainfall is ample and evenly distributel; the transportation facilities are splendid and the rates low; the markets are in easy reach of this section and are closer than any other point equally favored by nature—but all of these facts are treated at length in another portion of this article and it is not necessary to make extended mention of them here.

All of the colonies of the company are located on the Atlantic Coast Line Railroad and the railroad has erected stations for the handling of the business of the colonies. The Moraco colony, which will be the next opened up to settlers, is also located on the A. C. L. road. This place will likely be settled by immigrants from Northern or Central Italy. The place is being rapidly put in splendid condition and the settlers will have but little work to do before planting their crops. The settlers in most of the other colonies had to clear their own land before they could begin the cultivation of anything. This necessarily took some time and the settlers were delayed in getting a start. The people who will inhabit this colony will probably come from the same section of Italy as those at St. Helena, which is at present the banner colony. The Italians are making remarkable progress and since many wealthy New York Italians have become intensely interested in them and the project of the development company, it is likely that within a comparatively short time the entire tract of land allotted to the St. Helena colony will be taken up with sturdy and thrifty sons of Italy.

It may well be termed North Carolina's first and greatest colonization movement and the accomplishments already, and the possibilities, are great; even greater than the casual observer will admit. In the eastern section of this State are thousands and thousands of acres of undeveloped lands, awaiting the magic touch of energy, thrift, perseverance and those inherent agricultural instincts, which are marked characteristics of those whom it is sought to interest, not alone for their own welfare in working out a sociological problem, but for the upbuilding and internal improvement of the State and for producing a reasonable return upon a necessarily large investment of capital by its promoters. What is true of this section of Eastern Carolina is true of many millions of acres of virgin and undeveloped lands all throughout the South Atlantic States and the seeds sown here, already sprung up and "bearing ten-fold" are expected in time to permeate the entire Southland, bringing forth even larger returns in a well developed country, populated by a happy and contented people, an end to be earnestly desired by all patriotic and public spirited citizens.

Less than half a dozen years ago, the possibilities of these thousands of acres of arable lands, lying idle, undeveloped and going to waste, occurred to Mr. Hugh MacRae, of this city, a deep thinker, a man of great public spirit, a man with courage for large enterprises and a genius for organization, as a source of unlimited wealth. The South had witnessed the rise and fall of numerous immigration and colonization schemes. Mr. MacRae, with rare business acument and soundness of judgment, gave careful study to the question from the ground work up, applied the result of his investigations and past experiences to his own profit, launched an enterprise here in the East that would have halted an investigator has advantage of competing water freight rates to Wilmington for what he has to buy, which is another great consideration in locating near Wilmington.

There is a ready demand at splendid prices for all the truck raised in this section. Wilmington is only 36 hours by refrigerator express freight from New York and less from Washington, Baltimore and Philadelphia. These are the four largest markets in the East and the commission merchants of those cities send their buyers to this city and neighboring towns during the harvesting season to purchase the produce on the station platforms, giving checks on the local banks; in this way relieving the grower of any further responsibility. The company has learned the right people to ship to and the superintendent in charge of each colony keeps the settlers advised as to the conditions of the market, the best methods of packing for shipment, and other essential points. The superintendent is considered the business advisor until the settlers learn the details for themselves.


MUSICIANS ST. HELENA COLONY
PACKING LETTUCE GROWN UNDER CANVAS
HARVESTING CASTLE HAYNE COLONY
CLEARING LAND ST. HELENA COLONY.

ST. JOSEPH'S CHURCH.

rare busines acumen and soundness of his judgment, and has builded onward and upward. A little less than five years ago he began this work; he has made mistakes, of course, but, according to his own admission, he has paid for them. The State and the people whom he sought to interest have profited by them. His reward and that of those associated with him will come later. In the meantime he has the satisfaction of watching the soundness of his ideas and theories being demonstrated from month to month in the evolution of half a dozen flourishing colonies, any one of which would rank with the ordinary man as a large enterprise within itself. What the future holds out is now assured. It is but a question of time and North Carolina's great colonization scheme will have its influence upon the whole South and that day is not far distant.

For the fullest measure of success in farming there are these essential elements—soil, climate and moisture—and this section of North Carolina has all three to offer to the home-seeker as will be seen further on in this article as proved by reliable statistics and figures.

One Year's Results.

In 1907 the Carolina Trucking Development Company kept an accurate record of the cash returns from 20-odd crops on its experimental farm on the Suburban line, between Wilmington and Wrightsville Beach, and the figures, while entirely too low in many instances as to the results in the colonies this year and last year, will give one a fair idea of the profit in truck raising in this section. It might be stated that the experiment farm is located on one of the poorest soil types in this section. With the exception of strawberries the crops occupied the ground for a period of only from six weeks to five months; otner crops then being planted, thus by rotation the same piece of land produced three to four different crops in the year. The figures, which show the cash returns per acre for the area actually planted:

Lettuce	$600.00
Strawberries	200.00
Beets	200.00
Cauliflower	500.00
Snap Beans	250.00
Cucumbers	275.00
Cantaloupes	200.00
Radishes	75.00
Onions	125.00
Peppers	150.00
Egg Plant	750.00
Carrots	75.00
Cabbage	150.00
Spinach	150.00
Turnips	150.00
Tomatoes	125.00
Asparagus	750.00
English Peas	150.00
Irish Potatoes	175.00
Sweet Potatoes	125.00

As stated above the figures in many instances are too low to apply to results obtained in the colonies last year and this. Another fact which might be stated is that the year of 1907 was not an especially good year for trucking, and, too, the work of the Carolina Trucking and Development Company was yet in its incipiency.

The crops that are most largely and successfully grown in the colonies are strawberries, lettuce, beets, turnips, spinach, onions, cabbage, egg plant, okra, peas, squash, cucumbers, radishes, tomatoes, sweet and Irish potatoes, watermelons and cantaloupes. Grapes are also beginning to be extensively cultivated by many of the colonists and within a few years it is expected that this will be one of the leading money crops. Asparagus, celery, kale carrots, parsley, leeks and brussels sprouts are also successfully cultivated, but not as extensively as the crops mentioned above. Father Donati, the priest of the St. Helena colony, has been experimenting with grapes and olives, having come from a grape and olive raising family, and it is announced that his experiments have advanced far enough to demonstrate that olive trees can be grown to good advantage in the colony. The soil is well adapted to the raising of grapes and several small vineyards have been started. Diversification is the plan upon which the company works. The advantage of diversified crops is manifest to all in the least familiar with the farming interests. It not only guards against a failure or partial failure of one particular variety, but furnishes employment the year round—one crop being planted while the other is maturing.

Chart, Showing Time of Planting.

The following chart shows the months for planting the different crops in this section of the State:

January—English peas, radishes, onions, beets, cabbage, (these latter are planted in hot beds); also figs, grape vines, fruit trees and cassava.

February—English peas, radish, beets, cabbage, tomatoes, egg plant, carrots, peppers, Irish potatoes, turnips, spinach, figs, fruit trees, grape vines and cassava.

March—Onions, radish, Irish potatoes, turnips, beets, cabbage, tomatoes, peppers, spinach, egg plant and rhubarb.

April—Cantaloupes, watermelons, beans, table peas, okra, cucumbers, squash, corn, sweet potatoes, onions, tomatoes, beets, peppers, asparagus and rhubard; also cow peas, velvet beans and teosinte.

May—Corn, squash, beans, late melons, cucumbers, tomatoes, okra, sweet potatoes, asparagus, peas and velvet beans.

June—Beans, tomatoes, corn, cow peas and velvet beans.

July—Ruta baga turnips, collards, cabbage, cow peas, beans, beets, brussels sprouts, Irish potatoes and strawberries.

August—Strawberries, turnips, collards, kale, beans, brussels sprouts, cabbage, beets and lettuce (in latter part of month).

September—Mustard, collards, cabbage, kale, turnips, strawberries, and lettuce (in first part of month); also alfalfa, clover and vetch.

October—Lettuce, strawberries, radish, onions, cabbage, beets, mustard turnips, spinach, cauliflower, clover, alfalfa and vetch.

November—Strawberries, spinach, cabbage, beets, lettuce, turnips, kale, cauliflower, clover, alfalfa and vetch.

December—Strawberries, turnips, spinach, onion sets, beets and cabbage, under glass, figs, fruit trees, grape vines, and in early part of month clover, alfalfa and vetch.

Thus it will be seen that the farmer can be busy the year round in this section, which is not possible further North. Besides, if one or two of a dozen crops should happen to fail utterly the farmer would not feel the loss so severely for he would have his other crops to fall back on and these would most certainly more than make up for the loss.

Shipping Facilities and Markets.

The transportation facilities are unsurpassed and could hardly be improved upon by the railroad, the Atlantic Coast Line, whose officers are cognizant of the fact that the trucking industry furnishes the greatest source of revenue from this section, and they pay especial attention to handling the business. All of the colonies of the company are located on the Coast Line and the railroad runs solid refrigerator trains during the shipping season, giving them the right of way over the passenger traffic. The freight and express rates are and have always been very reasonable. The farm-

SETTLER'S HOME.

Climate and Health Conditions.

An important thing to be considered by the man anticipating a change in residence is the climate and healthfulness of the new location proposed. The conditions in this respect in eastern North Carolina are two of the strongest points in favor of this section. Aside from the question of profit, the pleasure of living where one can enjoy practically the entire year in the open should in itself be a great inducement to any one, especially to those who have been subjected to the cold, severe, changeable weather which is experienced in States further north. Besides it is far enough north not to be excessively hot in the Summer time. In fact, the daily reports from the weather bureau show that Wilmington is the coolest in the district, which covers a considerable territory. As to health conditions, this section is unsurpassed anywhere in the State, or in any part of the South or West. This statement is based upon government statistics which will be given further on.

The following government weather bureau statistics for a period of 34 years, furnished by Mr. Geo. W. Felger, Chief Observer at Wilmington, afford an interesting study of the climate of this section:

	Ave. Temperature for 34 years	Ave. Coldest Temperature	Ave. Warmest Temperature	Ave. Rain Precipitation.
Jan.	47	39	57	3.62
Feb.	49	37	58	3.35
March	55	48	61	3.59
April	61	56	66	2.72
May	70	64	74	3.93
June	77	74	81	5.55
July	80	77	84	6.71
Aug.	79	76	82	6.97
Sept.	74	70	79	5.42
Oct.	64	60	69	3.86
Nov.	55	49	60	2.40
Dec.	48	39	56	3.09

For the 34 years the average date of first killing frost in autumn is November 15th, and the last killing frost in the Spring, March 27. As was noticed in the table the coldest average month in 34 years was 47 degrees above zero and the warmest average month in the same period was 80 degrees. It would be hard to find a more ideal place for residence or one more adapted for farming. The rain precipitation is abundant and well distributed, as the table shows.

North Carolina is an exceptionally healthy State in which to live. The comparative figures of the mortality statistics of the United States census report shows that the death rate among the white population in North Carolina per thousand is 10.4 as against 18.9 for Rhode Island and 17.8 for Massachusetts, for instance. The statistics show further that the death rate for the States of the North is considerably lower than the general average for the entire country and North Carolina ranks especially low. There is some malaria in this section—no section of the United States is entirely free from it as is shown by statistics. The figures from the same source show that North Carolina is not by any means the worst sufferer from this malady. Upon the whole it is as free as the Middle Western States and stands well when compared with other States on the Atlantic seaboard. Consumption, pneumonia, bronchitis, rheumatism, grip, croup and the like are not at all prevalent in this section. These diseases and ailments cause the greatest portion of the deaths in the Northern and New England States. The fact that out on the farms in the colonies there is practically no danger of consumption is one of the strongest points considered by wealthy Northern people who are deeply interested in the colonization scheme and in the immigrants in the congested districts of New York City and other large cities of the North. The healthfulness of the immigrant's family is much better assured in North Carolina than in many of the sections where damaging reports regarding the health of the South have been circulated.

Types of Soil.

Before making a purchase of lands the company had the soil of the various tracts carefully examined by competent experts, who know what varieties of soils are best adapted to the growth of certain kinds of crops. "Fine Sandy Loam" and "Sandy Loam" of the Wilmington and Southport varieties, underlaid by a clay sub-soil at an average depth of 20 inches, are the two kinds that are most generally found on the properties of the company. A variety of other soil types occur in limited areas. The clay sub-soil acts as a self-irrigating reservoir, supplying moisture to the roots of the plants as needed, while the porosity of the surface soils prevents an accumulation of water,

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THE BARRIER

By Rex Beach

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Poleon felt the girl's hand upon his arm and heard her crying in a hard, sharp voice:

"He needs killing! Put him away!"

He stared down at his gentle Necia and saw the loathing in her face and the look of strange ferocity as she met his eyes boldly.

"You don't know what he—what he did," she said through her shut teeth. "He"— But the man waited to hear no more.

Runnion saw him coming and scrambled frantically to all fours, then got on his feet and staggered down the bar. As Poleon overtook him he cried out piteously, a shrill scream of terror, and, falling to his knees, groveled and debased himself like a foul cripple at fear of the lash. His agony dispelled the savage taint of Alluna's aboriginal training in Necia, and the pure white blood of her ancestors cried out:

"Poleon, Poleon—not that!" She hurried after him to where he paused above the wretch waiting for her. "You mustn't!" she said. "That would be murder, and—and—it's all over now."

The Frenchman looked at her wonderingly, not comprehending this sudden leniency.

"Let him alone. You've nearly killed him. That's enough." Whereat Runnion, broken in body and spirit, began to beg for his life.

"W'at's dat you say jus' now?" Doret asked the girl. "Was dat de truth for sure w'at you speak?"

"Yes, but you've done your work. Don't touch him again."

He hesitated, and Runnion, quick to observe it, added his entreaty to hers.

"I'm beaten, Doret. You broke me to pieces. I need help—I—I'm hurt."

"W'at you 'spec' I do wit' 'im?" the Canadian asked, and she answered:

"I suppose we'll have to take him where he can get assistance."

"Dat skiff ain' carry all t'ree of us."

"I'll stay here," groaned the frightened man. "I'll wait for a steamer to pick me up, but for God's sake don't touch me again!"

Poleon looked him over carefully and made up his mind that the man was more injured in spirit than in body, for outside of his battered muscles he showed no fatal symptoms. Although the voyageur was slower to anger than a child, a grudge never died in him, and his simple, self taught creed knew no forgiveness for such men as Runnion, cherished no mercy for preying men or beasts. He glanced toward the wooded shores a stone's throw above, then back at the coward he had beaten and whose life was forfeit under the code. There was a queer light in his eyes.

"Leave him here, Poleon. We'll go away, you and I, in the canoe, and the first boat will pick him up. Come." Necia tugged at his wrist for fear she might not prevail, but he was bent on brushing away a handful of hungry mosquitoes which, warmed by the growing day, had ventured out on the river. His face became wrinkled and set.

"Bien!" he grunted. "We lef' 'im here biccause dere ain't 'nough room in de batteau, eh? All right. Dat's good t'ing. But he's seeck man, so mebbe I feex it him nice place for stop till dem boats come."

"Yes, yes. Leave me here. I'll make it through all right," begged Runnion.

"Better you camp yonder on de point, w'ere you can see dose steamboat w'en she comes roun' de ben'. Dis is bad place." He indicated the thicket, a quarter of a mile above which ran out almost to the cut bank. "Come. I help you get feex."

Runnion shrank from his proffered assistance half fearfully, but, reassured, allowed the Frenchman to help him toward the shore.

"We tell it de first boat 'bout you an' dey pick you up. You wait here, Necia."

The girl watched her rescuer guide Runnion up to the level of the woods, then disappear with him in the firs, and was relieved to see the two emerge upon the river bank again farther on, for she had feared for an instant that Poleon might forget. There seemed to be no danger, however, for he was crashing through the brush in advance of the other, who followed laboriously. Once Runnion gained the high point he would be able to command a view of both reaches of the river and could make signals to attract the first steamboat that chanced to come along. Without doubt a craft of some sort would pass from one direction or the other by tomorrow at latest, or, if not, she and Poleon could send back succor to him from the first habitation they encountered. The two men disappeared again, and her fears had begun to prey on her a second time when she beheld the big Canadian returning. He was hurrying a bit, apparently to be rid of the mosquitoes that swarmed about him, and she marked that, in addition to whipping himself with a handful of blackberry bushes, he wore Runnion's coat to protect his shoulders.

"Woof! Dose skeeter bug is hongry," he cried.

"Dis nice batteau," Poleon remarked critically; "I mak' it go fas'," and began to row swiftly, seeking the breeze of the open river in which to shake off the horde of stinging pests that had risen with the sun. "I come way queeck wit'out t'inkin' 'bout gun or skeeter net or not'in'. Runnion she's len' me dis coat, so mebbe I don' look so worse lak I do jus' now, eh?"

"How did you leave him? Is he badly injured?"

"No; I bus' it up on de face an' de rib, but she's feelin' good now. Yes, I'm leave 'im nice place for stop an' wait on de steamboat—plaintee spruce bough for set on."

She began to shudder again, and, sensitive to her every motion, he asked solicitously if she were sick, but she shook her head.

"I—I—was thinking what—supposing you hadn't come! Oh, Poleon, you don't know what you saved me from." She leaned forward and laid a tiny, grateful hand on the huge brown paw that rested on his oar. "I wonder if I can ever forget!"

She noted that they were running with the current and inquired:

"Where are we going?"

"Waal, I can't pull dis boat 'gainst dat current, so I guess we pass on till I fin' my shirt, den bimeby we pick it up some steamboat an' go home."

Five miles below his quick eye detected his half submerged "bark" lodged beneath some overhanging firs which from the water's action had fallen forward into the stream, and by rare good fortune it was still upright, although awash. He towed it to the next sand bar, where he wrung out and donned his shirt, then tipped the water from the smaller craft and, making it fast astern of the Peterborough, set out once more. Toward noon they came in sight of a little stern wheeled craft that puffed and pattered manfully against the sweeping current, hiding behind the points and bars and following the slackest water.

"It's the mission boat!" cried Necia. "It's the mission boat! Father Barnum will be aboard."

She waved her arms madly and mingled her voice with Poleon's until a black robed figure appeared beside the pilothouse.

"Father Barnum!" she screamed, and, recognizing her, he signaled back.

Soon they were alongside, and a pair of Siwash deck hands lifted Necia aboard. Doret following after, the painter of the Peterborough in his teeth. He dragged both canoes out of the boiling tide and laid them bottom up on the forward deck, then climbed the narrow little stairs to find Necia in the arms of a benignant, white haired priest, the best beloved man on the Yukon, who broke away from the girl to greet the Frenchman, his kind face alight with astonishment.

"What is all this I hear? Slowly, Doret, slowly! My little girl is talking too furiously for these poor old wits to follow. I can't understand. I am amazed. What is this tale?"

Together they told him, while his blue eyes now opened wide with wonder, now grew soft with pity, then blazed with indignation. When they had finished he laid his hand upon Doret's shoulder.

"My son, I thank God for your good body and your clean heart. You saved our Necia, and you will be rewarded. As to this—this—man Runnion, we must find him, and he must be sent out of the country."

It required some pressure to persuade the Frenchman, but at last he consented, and as the afternoon drew to a close the little steamboat came squattering and wheezing up to the bar where Runnion had built his fire that morning, and a long, shrill blast summoned him from the point above. When he did not appear the priest took Poleon and his round faced, silent crew of two and went up the bank, but they found no sign of the crippled man—only a few rags, a trampled patch of brush at the forest's edge, and that was all. The springy moss showed no trail. The thicket gave no answer to their cries, although they spent an hour in a scattered search and sounded the steamboat's whistle again and again.

"He's try for walk it back to camp," said Doret. "Mebbe he ain' hurt so much, after all."

"You must be right," said Father Barnum. "We will keep the steamer close to this shore, so that he can hail us when we overtake him."

And so they resumed their toilsome trip, but mile after mile fell behind them, and still no voice came from the woods—no figure hailed them. Doret, inscrutable and silent, lounged against the pilothouse smoking innumerable cigarettes which he rolled from squares of newspaper, his keen eyes apparently scanning every foot of their slow way, but when night fell at last and the bank faded from sight he tossed the last butt overboard, smiled grimly into the darkness and went below.

CHAPTER XVIII.

RUNNION FINDS THE SINGING PEOPLE.

"NO CREEK" LEE came into the trading post on the following morning and found Gale attending store as if nothing unusual had occurred.

"Say! What's this about you and Stark? I hear you had a horrible run in and that you split him up the back like a quail."

"We had a row," admitted the trader. "It's been a long time working out, and last night it came to a head."

"Lord—ee! And to think of Ben Stark bein' licked! Why, the whole camp's talkin' about it! They say he emptied two six shooters at you, but you kept a-comin', and when you did get to him you just carved your initials on him like he was a basswood tree. Say, John, he's a goner, sure."

"Do you mean he's—passing out?"

"Oh, no. I reckon he'll get well, from what I hear, though he won't let nobody come near him except old Doc. But he's lost a battle, and that ends him. Don't you savvy? Whenever a killer quits second best it breaks his hoodoo. Why, there's been men layin' for him these twenty years from here to the Rio Grande, and every feller he ever bested will hear of this and begin to grease his holster; then the first shave tail desperado that meets him will spit in his eye just to make a name for himself. No, sir! He's a spent shell. He's got to fight all his battles over again, and this time the other feller will open the ball. Oh, I've seen it happen before. You killed him last night, just as sure as if you'd hung up his hide to dry, and he knows it."

"I'm a peaceable man," said Gale on the defensive. "I had to do it."

"I know! I know! There was witnesses. This dressmaker at the fort seen it, so I hear."

The other acquiesced silently.

"Well, well! Ben Stark licked! I can't get over that. It must 'a' been somethin' powerful strong to make you do it, John." When the old man vouchsafed no more than a nod to a question the prospector inquired:

"Where's Poleon? I've got news for him from the creek."

"I don't know. Why?"

"His laymen have give up. They've crosscut his ground, and the pay ain't there, so they've quit work for good."

"He drew a blank, eh?"

"Worse'n that—three of them. The creek is spotteder than a leopard. Runnion's men, for instance, are into it bigger than a house, while Poleon's people can't raise a color. I call it tough luck—yes, worse'n tough. It's hard billed and pickled. To them as has shall it be given and to them as hasn't shall be took even what they ain't got, as the poet says. Look at Necia! She'll be richer than a cream puff. Guess I'll step around and see her."

"She's gone," said the trader wearily, turning his haggard face from the prospector.

"Gone! Where?"

"Up river with Runnion. They got her away from me last night."

"Sufferin' snakes!" ejaculated Lee. "So that's why!" Then he added simply, "Let's go and git her, John."

The trader looked at him queerly.

"Maybe I won't—on the first boat! I'm eating my heart out hour by hour waiting—waiting—waiting for some kind of a craft to come, and so is Burrell."

"What's he got to do with it?" said the one eyed miner jealously. "Can't you and me bring her back?"

"He'll marry her! God, won't there never be a boat?"

For the hundredth time that morning he went to the door of the post and strained his eyes downstream.

"Well, well! Them two goin' to be married," said Lee. "Stark licked, and Necia goin' to be married—all at once. I hate to see it, John. He ain't good enough. She could 'a' done a heap better. There's a lot of reg'lar men around here, and she could 'a' had her pick. Of course, always bein' broke like a dog myself, I ain't kept up my personal appearance like I ought, but I've got some new clothes now, and you wouldn't know me. I bought 'em off a tenderfoot with cold feet, but they're the goods, and you'd see a big improvement in me."

"He's a good man," said Gale, "better than you or me, and he's all torn up over this. I never saw a man act so. When he learned about it I thought he'd go mad. He's haunted the river bank ever since, raging about for some means of following her, and if I hadn't fairly held him he'd have set out single handed."

(Continued Next Sunday.)

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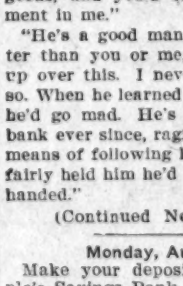

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vs.

Thomas Lucas.

Pursuant to a decree of the Superior Court of New Hanover county, State of North Carolina, in a special proceeding entitled Jeremiah N. Kellogg, et al. vs. Thomas Lucas, duly entered before the Clerk of Superior Court on the 15th day of July, 1909, I will offer for sale at public auction, at the Court House door in Wilmington, North Carolina, to the highest bidder for cash on the 16th day of August, 1909, at one o'clock P. M., the following described lot or parcel of land, situated in the City of Wilmington, to-wit:

Beginning at the Northwest intersection of Church and Third streets, and running thence with the western line of Third street northwardly sixty-six (66) feet; thence westwardly parallel with Church street, fifty feet (50); thence southwardly parallel with Third street sixty-six (66) feet to the northern line of Church street; and thence with said line of Church street eastwardly fifty (50) feet to the western line of Third street, the beginning. The same being a part of Lot 6, in Block 101, according to the official plans of the said City of Wilmington.

Said sale will be made subject to the confirmation of the Court.

This 15 day of July, 1909.

MARSDEN BELLAMY, JR.
jl 18-su-we-til au 15. Commissioner.

SALE OF REAL ESTATE.

The undersigned, as Administrator of Henry C. Green and with the consent of his heirs at law, will sell, to the highest bidder, at public auction, for cash, on Monday, the 16th day of August, 1909, at twelve o'clock M., at the Court House door in the City of Wilmington, the following described real estate in said City, to-wit:

First: A lot beginning at the Southwest intersection of Nixon and Seventh streets; runs westwardly with the southern line of Nixon street 33 feet; thence southwardly parallel with Seventh street 60 feet; thence eastwardly parallel with Nixon street 33 feet; thence northwardly 60 feet to the beginning, having thereon a two-story dwelling renting for $10.00 a month.

Second: A lot at northwest corner of Nixon and Seventh streets; running thence with the northern line of Nixon street west 81 feet; thence northwardly parallel with Seventh street 30 feet; thence eastwardly parallel with Nixon street 81 feet; thence southwardly with western line of Seventh street 30 feet to the beginning, having a small store thereon.

Third: A lot beginning in the southern line of Green street 82 1-2 feet west of Anderson street; running west with Anderson street 41 1-4 feet; thence southwardly 66 feet; thence eastwardly 41 1-4 feet; thence northwardly 66 feet to the beginning, being part of Lot No. 1, Block 264.

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HAPPENINGS AND DOINGS

IN SOCIETY

By M. H.

Miss Mary Bourne, of Tarboro, is the attractive guest of Miss Helen Clark, at her home on Dock street.

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Friends of Miss Alice LeGrand are glad to learn that she has returned to her home after a pleasant visit to friends in Portsmouth, Va.

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Mr. Richard L. Meares has accepted a position in Marion, S. C., and his many friends will be interested to learn that he will make that place his home in the future.

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The large circle of friends in this city of Mr. and Mrs. Thos. L. Spieden regret to learn tha they will leave today for Johnson City, Tenn., where Mr. Spieden has accepted a position.

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The Misses Ligon, of Spartanburg, S. C., returned to their home during the past week after spending several weeks on Wrightsville Beach, where they made a large number of friends.

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Mr. and Mrs. Horace Emerson and little daughter, Mary Clark Emerson, returned to the city during the past week, where they are receiving a warm welcome from their many friends.

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Miss Margaret Jennings, of Fayetteville, is the attractive guest of Miss Gene Harriss, at her home on Dock street. Miss Harriss has but recently returned from Fayetteville, where she spent several weeks visiting relatives.

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The many friends of Misses Nannie Hay and Juliette Crews, of Raleigh regret to learn that they returned to their home during the past week, after a pleasant visit to Miss Nannie Watters.

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Miss Gertrude Burnette, of Spartanburg, S. C., who has been a popular guest at the Seashore Hotel for the past few weeks, came to the city during the past week, where she is the guest of Miss Theo. Cantwell.

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Friends of Mr. Oscar Peck, who for several months past has held a position with the Fruit Growers' Express, will be glad to learn that he arrived during the past week to spend several weeks on a visit to his mother, Mrs. George Peck.

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Friends of Misses Helen and Alice Burnette, of Spartanburg, S. C., who have been spending the past few weeks at the Seashore Hotel, will be interested to learn that they are now visiting Mrs. E. C. Holt, at her attractive cottage on Wrightsville Beach.

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Miss Amoret Lord left Thursday last for Charlotte, where she will visit for several weeks. Friends of Miss Lord will be interested to learn that she will also visit in Asheville before returning to her home, being absent about a month.

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Mrs. Chapman and daughter, Miss Marjory Chapman, of Spartanburg, S. C., who have been popular visitors at Wrightsville Beach, guests at the Seashore, spent several days in the city during the past week before returning to their home, as guests of Mrs. Quince Moore, at her home on South Fourth street.

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The beautiful concerts at Lumina Sunday afternoons and evenings attract enormous crowds, many visitors from Wilmington being present as well as a large number of the visitors on the beach. These concerts have proved most popular this Summer, and will be continued throughout the season.

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The announcement of the engagement of Miss Annie Hill Holmes, the attractive daughter of Mrs. Arthur Holmes, and Dr. Robert B. Slocum, a prominent young physician of this city, came a sa pleasant surprise to their many friends during the past week. Both the young people have a large circle of friends in Wilmington, and the announcement of their engagement is an occasion of much interest.

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Another delightful sailing party was enjoyed on Monday evening when Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Hurd Hillyer, of Atlanta, entertained a number of their friends on the Virgie May, and a most enjoyable sail was had. Those in the party were, Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Barnwell, of Atlanta, Miss Burton, Augusta; Miss Harriet Platt, Washington, D. C.; Miss Mary Lanier, Birmingham, Ala.; Misses Jane and Eleanor Hillyer, Atlanta; Miss Louise Barnwell, Atlanta, and Miss Sarah Alexander, of Augusta, Ga.

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On Sunday evening a very pleasant sailing party was enjoyed by a number of visitors at the Beach, when Mr. S. S. Lanier, of Birmingham, Ala., Mr. Edwin Nott, Jr., of Spartanburg, and Mr. Arthur Ligon, of Spartanburg, entertained a number of their friends on the Virgie May, and a delightful sail was enjoyed. Mrs. R. H. F. Chapman, Mrs. S. S. Lanier, Mrs. Edwin Nott, Miss Marjory Chapman, Miss Laura Chapman, Miss Briggs Prathers, Miss May Hodges, Miss Beatrice Blake, Miss Lucy Ligon, Miss Eoline Ligon, all of Spartanburg, S. C.; Miss Green, of Atlanta, Ga.; Miss Mary Lanier, Alabama; Messrs. John K. Williams, Richard Grant, Louis Moore, Ben Bell, Jr., Chesley Bellamy, Joe Jacobs, Fred Hashagen, of Wilmington; Mr. Foard, of Marion, S. C.; Reginald Lanier, Birmingham; Mr. Allen Mills, Mr. Burrett Mills, Pennsylvania; Mr. Harold Barnwell, Atlanta, were present.

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Many pleasant pastimes have been enjoyed during the past week by the large numbers of visitors who flock to Wrightsville from day to day, the interest in fishing never having abated since the opening of the season. The sailing parties, bridge parties, bowling parties, etc., continue to hold their own in the round of gaieties that have been introduced this Summer at the Beach, and the dances at Greater Lumina have been more largely attended this year than ever in the history of the beach. One of the pleasantest sailing parties of the past week was one which was given by Miss Fannie Barringer, of Greensboro, to a number of her friends at the popular Seashore. The trip was made in the attractive sharpie Virgie May, Captain Wells, and after sailing for some time in the Banks Channel, a short run was made outside. Col. and Mrs. Barringer chaperoned the party. Others present were, Mrs. Rodman, Charlotte; Mr. Don Williamson, Mr. Wilson Williamson, Mr. George Williamson, of Graham, N. C; Miss Nellie Savage, Harry Savage, Edw. Savage, Henry Taylor, Robert W. Strange, of Wilmington; and Miss Godard, of Washington, N. C.

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One of the most delightful sailing parties of the season took place last evening when Misses Hannah and Cammie Rodman, of Charlotte, entertained a number of their friends in this delightful manner. This sail was made in the attractive sharpie Virgie May, Captain Wells, and aside from sailing from Masonboro Inlet to Moore's Inlet, a short run was made outside. A pleasant feature of the evening was the sweet music which was enjoyed by all of the guests. The Misses Pearson, of Morganton, N. C., added greatly to the pleasure of the occasion by sweetly singing many of the popular airs of the day. Those composing the party were, Mrs. Rodman, Misses Rodman, Charlotte; Mr. and Mrs. Wood, Mr. and Mrs. Williamson, Mr. George Williamson, of Graham, N. C.; Miss Benton, Miss Alexander, Augusta, Ga.; Miss Harriet Platt, Washington, D. C.; Miss Rountree, Wilmington; Miss Lewis, Columbia; Miss Goddard, Atlanta; Misses Marie Lucile, Florence and Freeman Pearson, of Morganton, N. C.; Messrs. Robert W. Strange, W. C. Munds, Clayton Smith, Harry Savage, Ben Bell, Jr., Wilmington; Mr. Wm. Rodman, Jr., Mr. Albert Fore, Charlotte; Mr. Wilson Williamson, of Graham, N. C.

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SOUTHERN COLONIZATION

(Continued From Page Nine.)

which would be detrimental to the growth and cultivation of the crops. These selected soil types are especially adapted for raising any kind of truck desired. Experts from the Department of Soils at Washington, D. C., have also made examination and study of the soil in the colonies of the company and they are quoted as saying that it is the exact kind for growing vegetables and small fruits.

St. Helena.

St. Helena colony, situated on the Wilmington and Weldon railroad, 20 miles north of Wilmington, is composed exclusively of North Italians, about 325 in number, and they are probably the most industrious and law-abiding people of any nationality represented in the various colonies of the Carolina Trucking Development Company. The colony covers an area of about 5,000 acres of good trucking land on either side of the railroad, about 800 acres of which has been cleared. Four hundred acres are under cultivation and 100 acres more have been grubbed and broken and will be planted another year.

The first settlers, numbering 7, men, women and children, arrived at St. Helena from Northern Italy in December of 1905 and occupied six cottages which had been fitted up in advance of their coming. At that time there were no roads and no ditching and clearing had been done. A vast forest greeted the eyes of the immigrant in every direction. This might have disheartened people from some countries when they realized the immense amount of work that would be necessary before any of the land could be put into cultivation, but not so with the Italians. They went about their task light-hearted, glad to breath the pure, fresh air and enjoy the freedom of a large estate, and with a vim and determination that is conspicuously reflected in the transformation seen by visitors to the colony now. While the settlers came from the very best stock of the Italian race they were poor financially and were entirely dependent upon the promotors of the colonization scneme. The company provided at good wages sufficient work for the male members of the party to purchase food and raiment for their families, and the days they were not thus employed were put into their own little patches. Many of the colonists worked on their land by moonlight, so eager were they to get the land ready for cultivation. From time to time other immigrants have arrived until today there are about 60 families in the colony and as each family is composed of five or six persons there are about 325 inhabitants of the land which was a wilderness a few years ago.

The company has recently completed the construction of a handsome and modern two-story house for Superintendent Hugh Overstreet, near the railroad station. Supeintendent Overstreet has been in charge of the colony ever since it was established and to him is due in no small measure the marked success of the big undertaking. There are at the present time 59 houses for the colonists and they range in size from three to seven rooms and are as comfortable as are found on the farm anywhere.

Two thousand acres of land have been supplied with drainage and roads, and over 1,000 acres are under fence. The labor involved in the clearing and in the preparation of the land, etc., was done by the colonists themselves and they have also cut 15,000 cords of wood and 20,000 cross ties, which have been marketed. For over a year the colonists have been cutting wood at the rate of 200 cords a week. In this way the heads of families were given employment for the support of themselves and their people.

There has been little or no dissatisfaction among the colonists and there has been no lawlessness. The morality of the colonists could not be improved upon. Not a single act of immorality so far as is known has been committed in the colony. A visitor to the colony is deeply impressed with the personal appearance of the people, men, women and children and the number of the latter is ever increasing. There is no race suicide in the Italian colony. While not at all necessary the company gives a prize of $10 in gold for the brith of a baby and $5 in gold for a wedding, and quite a number of these prizes, especially the former, have been awarded. The adults are happy, contented and prosperous and a more healthy crowd of children would be difficult to assemble anywhere.

Realizing the future importance of St. Helena as a trucking centre the Atlantic Coast constructed a 10-acre side track at the colony in 1906 and in 1907 erected a station house and the wisdom of their action has been abundantly demonstrated.

Schools and Churches.

The colonists have a handsome edifice for worship, located a short distance from the station and in the heart the colony as it will be when full developed. The church was dedicated in April of 1908 by Right Rev. Bishop Leo Haid and is at present in charge of Rev. Father Donati, a native Italian priest, who assumed his duties last Easter. The church is under the supervision of Rev. Father C. Dennen, of Wilmington, who make frequent visits to the colony. The church is in a prosperous condition with a large membership and practically all of the people attend the services. During the past year about 20 of the children attended the public school at Burgaw, two miles away, and made splendid progress in their studies, and even in that short time the children learned considerable about the English language and can speak it fairly well. Father Donati has conducted a school for those who did not care for the long walk to Burgaw and intermittently since the colony was established Superintendent Overstreet has conducted a night school for the adults at which instruction in the English language was given. Owing to the fact that no public school can be had at St. Helena until the immigrants become American citizens, arrangements are being made by which a school will be conducted under the auspices of the church. The children of the colony are eager to attend school and learn very rapidly.

Crops.

The soil is fertile and is especially adapted to trucking. While a great many different crops are grown successfully it is hoped to make strawberries the principal one, it being the one from which the greatest amount of certain revenue can be derived. In 1907 five acres of strawberries were cultivated more as an experiment than anything else; in 1908 the acreage was increased to 30. Having proved more than an experiment 100 acres were cultivated in 1909 and in 1910 there will be at least 200 acres in berries. In addition to berries Irish and sweet potatoes, beans, peas, cabbages, onions, corn, cotton, alfalfa, grapes and fruits of various kinds and varieties have been grown successfully. The cultivation of grapes has been started in a small way and it is thought that it will ultimately be one of the main industries of the colony, as later on it is hoped to manufacture wines on the premises and this will add materially to the revenue of the colonists. The vines set out some time ago are bearing fruit this year.

After experimenting for three years a fine stand of alfalfa has been secured on a one-quarter acre patch, and it is now believed that the forage can be grown to a good advantage on the soil in this section of the State. The small patch was mowed six times during 1908 and the yield of hay was at the rate of four tons to the acre, besides two cows pastured on the stubble the past Winter. The owner has mowed the patch three times this year and expects at least three more cuttings, making a yield this year of hay at the rate of five tons to the acre. As is necessary in order to secure a good stand, soil from the patch has been removed to other plots of land and another year will see this valuable forage grown extensively throughout the colony.

Co-operative Store.

One of the most interesting business enterprises in connection with the colony is the Co-operative Store Company, formed in April, 1908, which is worked on a novel plan. The business is conducted under a set of by-laws which are strictly observed. They are printed in a pamphlet form in Italian language and signed by each member, about 40 in number. The by-laws provide for the purchase and sale of supplies and certain social features. There were 40 original shareholders which comprised the heads of each family in the colony at the time of the organization. The scheme originated in the mind of one of the colonists and the success of the undertaking is better shown by the results given in figures. For the first nine months the store did business to the amount of $8,000. The goods are sold slightly lower than the usual retail rate. The profit for the first nine months was 150 per cent. on the capital invested. Dividends at the rate of 6 per cent. per annum were paid to the shareholders and the remainder of the profit was distributed among the shareholders in proportion to the amount of goods purchased by their respective families, the result being that each member of the company received his goods at less than wholesale prices. This, however, was not paid out in cash, the profits, less the 6 per cent. dividends, reverting back to the business and the share of each member increased that much. The company began business with a capital of about $400 and the present stock is valued at $1,000. The company has splendid credit in Wilmington and Burgaw. When the capital stock reaches a certain amount the company will then begin to distribute in cash all the profits over the amount required to conduct the business.

Another feature which shows the co-operative spirit of the colonists is the community bakeries, located at convenient points throughout the colony. On certain days in the week the colonists go to their respective bakeries and bake their bread together. As a further evidence of the spirit of fellowship and mutual aid that reigns in the colony it might be stated that each member contributes so much a month for a fund to employ a physician regularly. Whether any members of their families have been sick or not during the month the colonists pay promptly at the end of each month their proportionate part of the medical expenses of the colony. This methods insures medical aid to the sick, whereas without the organization it might occasionally occur that doctors' bills of some of the newly arrived and financially weak families would bankrupt them.

For the pleasure and entertainment of the community there is nothing that is doing more than the Italian Band of ten pieces, which has been heard in Wilmington on numerous occasions. It is an excellent aggregation of musicians and the music is seldom equalled.

The success of the Italian colony in every particular is assured. It has been successful and the future holds out unlimited possibilities for the individual members of the colony. No one realizes this fact more than the colonists themselves, many of whom have doubtless had visions of being wealthy citizens before the time comes for them to shuffle off this mortal coil, and all are living in the hope that their children will own large fields and cocupy handsome cottages. Some will doubtless realize their hopes in the fullest sense. There are among the colonists many who will some day be wealthy men and it has been predicted that some of the children of the present heads of families will be millionaires. There have been several Italian colonies started under far less favorable circumstances and the colonists are now enjoying the rich rewards of their labors. At Tontitown, Ark., there is a colony, established eight years ago by half starved Italians, that is today one of the most prosperous in the United States, while in Pennsylvania there is another, which, however, was begun under more favorable circumstances than the one in Arkansas. Both of the colonies are now thickly populated and the inhabitants are prosperous, happy and contended.

Wealthy Italians Interested.

The company has succeeded in interesting a large number of wealthy and influential Italians of New York and other cities of the North in the colonization project at St. Helena. While they had received many reports and were satisfied from the information received that the colonists were happy and prosperous, it was not until recently that any of them made a personal visit to the colony. During the past month two parties of distinguisned New York Italians visited and inspected the colony and in interviews with a Star representative, published at the time, they used superlatives in abundance in describing their impressions of the colony and the people.

The first delegation arrived at St. Helena Saturday morning, June 5, and was composed of Mr. Frank L. Frugone, editor and proprietor of the Evening Bulletin, one of the most influential Italian publications in America; his daughter, Miss Marie Frugone, an accomplished young lady and a valuable member of the Bulletin's editorial staff; Miss Alice Bennett, a well known magazine writer, and a diligent student of the Italians as a race, having given 20 years of her life to this purpose, visiting Italy upon one occasion where she gained an intimate knowledge of the habits and customs of the people, and Mr. E. Valentini, of the Italian Herald, of New York, who brought the first seven settlers to St. Helena from Northern Italy.

While interviews with the members of the party were published in The Star at the time it might be well to incorporate in this article some of the statements made by them with reference to colony. The visitors were the guests of the Carolina Trucking Development Company and were shown over the colony by Mr. C. Van Leuven, second vice president; Major E. W. VanC. Lucas, president; and Mr. N. C. Adossides. The visitors made a careful and thorough inspection of the colony, spending much time in conversation with the colonists in order to learn their circumstances and whether or not they were satisfied.

Mr. Frugone, an enthusiastic advocate of the colonization scheme, and one of the broadest minded and most level headed members of his race, who has watched from his New York office the growth of St. Helena with a great degree of interest, was convinced that here in North Carolina, the eastern section particularly, there are unlimited possibilities for the industrious citizen. He was simply amazed to find such excellent conditions existing at St. Helena. The first thing that attracted the attention of Mr. Frugone was the sight of the bright and healthy looking children, some of whom could speak English fairly well in the brief time they had spent in school since arriving at the colony. This was a spectacle that is denied him in New York, which is overcrowded with immigrants of all natonalities. The premises of the colonists were so clean and neatly kept as to call for comment from him. He was surprised to find that the colonists took so much pride in keeping their premises in such fine condition. In his conversation regarding the colony Mr. Frugone mentioned the tremendous possibilities that lie before the Italians of St. Helena and declared that he saw no reason in the world why many of the children of today would not be millionaires of tomorrow. In his opinion the only solution of the immigration problem was in colonization. Thousands of Italians and people of other nationalities arrive in New York every year and many of them get no further than the metropolis where they find employment of any kind that is obtainable and work their lives away at a small income. Not only this but they become a menace to the public and this has been a source of serious concern to the immigration authorities as to what should be done. By colonizing the immigrants on the plan of the Carolina Trucking Development Company they not only develop the vast resources of the South, but add to their own coffers.

He is very familiar with the colonization interests in California, where the colonies, planted there years ago, have prospered in spite of many difficulties which do not prevail in North Carolina. He said that the opportunities in that State could not be compared with those offered in North Carolina. The climate here is more strongly in favor of Italian than that of California, theclimatic conditions here being very much similar to Northern Italy.

The happiest member of the party was Mr. Valentini, who banded together in Northern Italy the first settlers of St. Helena. It was gratifying in the extreme to him to know that those whom he caused to come here were entirely satisfied with their conditions. They did not hesitate to tell Mr. Valentini that it was the best move they ever made and that he would always be remembered by them as one of their very best friends and would receive a hearty welcome to their colony as long as they lived. Mr. Valentini came to Wilmington about four years ago to investigate the colonization project, just begun, of the Carolina Trucking and Development Company and found everything so much to his liking that he went to Northern Italy and selected the first settlers for the company and became in a way personally responsible for their success in this country. It was a pleasure to him to hear from their lips that every promise he made to them in their Italy homes had been more than fulfilled. The expressions of the women of the colony were especially gratifying to him as they are always the hardest to please, he said. They showed in their countenances that they were never so happy in their lives.

Miss Alice Bennett, a New Englander by birth, but who has for the past 20 years been a resident of New York City, where she has studied the various immigration problems with special reference to the Italians, set forth her impressions of St. Helena in the following language:

"There are 500,000 Italians in New York City and they are coming to this country at a rate of 300,000 per annum, and out of that number at least 60 per cent. are trained farmers. Being without capital, some times possessing only $5 or $10 when they land, they are forced to accept whatever work they can find in the metropolis. So the people who would be valuable as intensive farmers become a menace to the city dwellers and help to swell the overcrowded trades. Owing to their ignorance of the English language they know nothing of the opportunities opened to agriculturists in the United States. Heretofore there has been no intelligent, concerted action for distribution and as the result men who are trained agriculturists are doing inefficient work for low wages in trades already crowded. Through the lack of intelligent action people have been sent to the country to live who have been city dwellers.

"I have consulted many prominent employers of agricultural labor throughout the United States and the concensus of opinion has been that the Italian is about the best adapted to horticulture and intensive farming. All he requires is an opportunity to make good. Everywhere that they have colonized they have been proved to be very sober, industrious and good pay, and once they have bought land they never quit until they have cancelled the mortgage and they cultivate the land up to its limit.

"Wherever the Italian settles land values always appreciate. Land in South Glastonbury, Conn., 18 years ago was bought for $15 to $20 an acre, but will bring $500 now. I was very much interested in the St. Helenna colony of the Carolina Trucking Development Company, and am convinced that if good economical methods are followed an immense movement can be set on foot that will be very much to the advantage of the entire section of the State. There should be established at St. Helena several factories. I think that canning factories and silk and cotton mills could be developed in this section of the South and this would draw the very cream of immigrants coming to our shores. Enough has been done at St. Helena to prove the value of the Italian as a farmer."

The visitors came here as the representatives of prominent Italian interests of New York, to whom they submitted a glowing report of the conditions existing at St. Helena, and the writers filled many columns with interesting matter regarding their visit. As the result of their visit the Carolina Trucking Development Company had the pleasure of entertaining another party, representatives of the Italian Chamber of Commerce, Saturday, July 3, and the members were equally as well pleased as the first delegation. The object of the company in having these representative persons visit and inspect the colony is to work up a healthy sentiment in favor of the South. For many years foreigners have been laboring under a mistaken impression of the South and they are only now beginning to realize that the many stories of brutality told about the people of the South are untrue, but on the contrary the industrious foreigner is given every consideration possible and is aided in getting a start in life. It is thought that incalculable benefit along this line will result from the visit of the New York Italians and writers and that the foreigners will gain a more accurate impression of the people of the South and of its vast undeveloped resources.

The last named delegation was composed of Mr. Granata and Arthur Stefani, official representatives of the New York Italian Chamber of Commerce; Felice Ferrero, a noted journalist, New York correspondent for the leading newspapers in Italy, and Father Cappo, head of the Church of Transfiguration in New York. The president of the Chamber, Mr. Luigi Solari, was to have been in the party, but missed the train in Philadelphia. Accompanying the party were Mr. M, F. H. Gouverneur, first vice president of the Carolina Trucking Development Company; Mr. N. C. Adossides, representative of the company, and Mr. W. J. Craig, passenger traffic manager of the Atlantic Coast Line, who joined the party in Washington. The members of the party left the train at St. Helena Saturday morning and were met there by a delegation of Wilmington citizens and officers of the company, who arrived a few minutes earlier on a special train. In Wilmington party were Major E. W. VanC. Lucas, president of the Carolina Trucking Development Company; Mr. C. Van Leuven, second vice president; Mr. R. M. Sheppard, secretary; Mr. T. C. White, general passenger agent of the Coast Line; Mr. James H. Chadbourn, president of the North Carolina Waterways Association; Mr. J. A. Fountain, superintendent of this division of the Coast Line, Rev. Father Dennen, who has supervision of the Catholic Church at St. Helena, and Mr. H. C. McQueen, president of the Murchison National Bank, and member of the Board of Audit and Finance of the city of Wilmington.

Conveyances were provided by the company and a thorough inspection of the colony was made and the visit proved of unbounded interest to the Italians and was of no little interest to the Wilmington delegation, many of whom had not been to St. Helena in two years. The members of the local delegation were not prepared for the wonderful changes wrought in the past two years, although they had read frequently of the progress being made there.

The Italians were very much interested in the movement and as they came for the express purpose of making a thorough investigation they spent much time in conversation with the colonists. After visiting a majority of the homes and talking with the people, and looking over their premises and crops, they expressed themselves as being convinced that the big undertaking was proving successful in every way and that greater things should be expected in the future. They found little or no dissatisfaction among the people and they were impressed with the sight of the many happy young children. One of the party remarked that there was no danger of race suicide there. Mr. Stefani said that considering the time the colony had been planted the progress made was remarkable. He agreed that there should be some manufacturing enterprises and it is not at all improbable that several will be established as the result of the visit of the prominent Italians. The Italians of New York have recently been aroused on account of the publication of statistics showing that a large per cent. of the immigrants from Italy who settle in New York die from consumption. These statistics have alarmed the wealthy Italians and they have started a movement to get the immigrants located in some healthy rural community.

The delegation went from St. Helena to Castle Haynes, being met there

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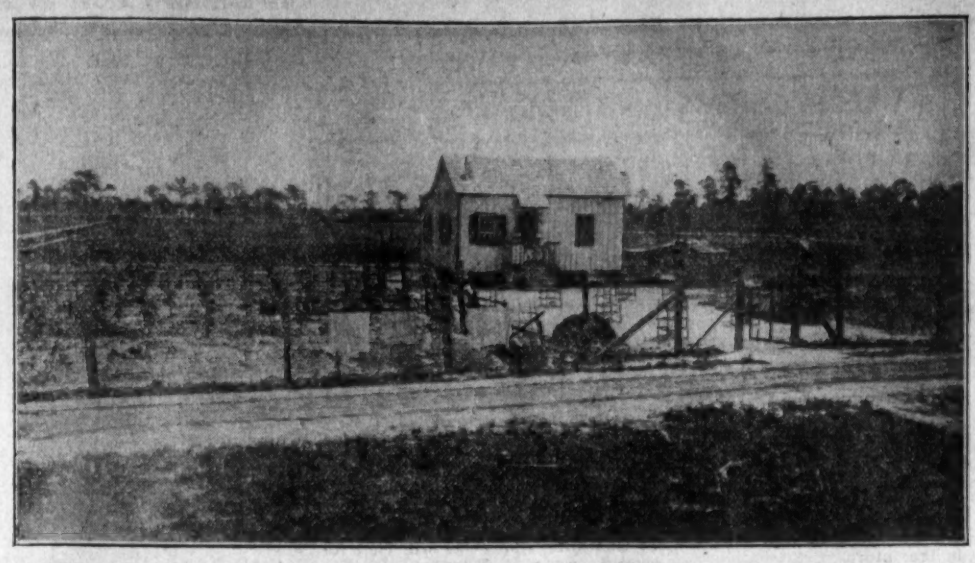

A TYPICAL SETTLER'S HOME, ST. HELENA COLONY.

A GOOD ONION FIELD, CASTLE HAYNES COLONY.

SOUTHERN COLONIZATION

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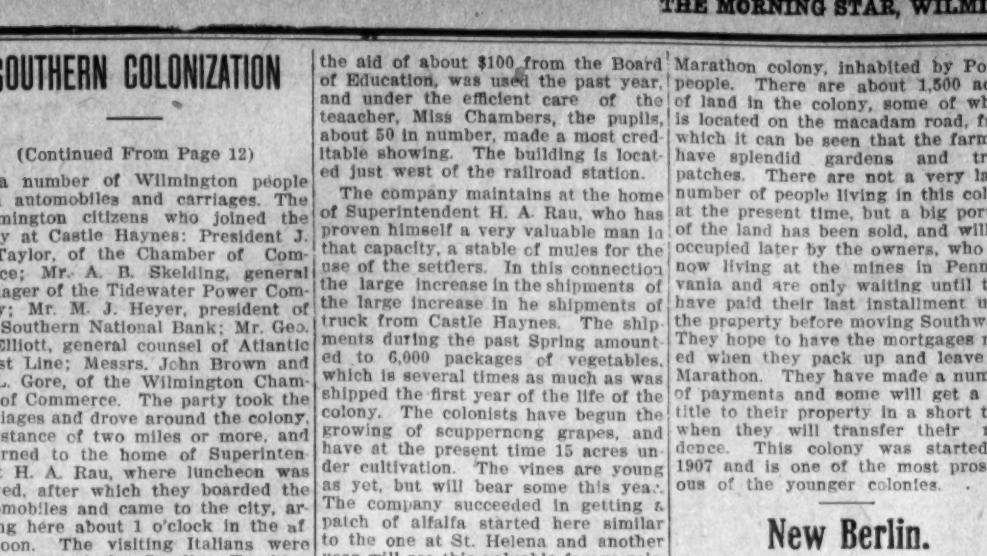
by a number of Wilmington people with automobiles and carriages. The Wilmington citizens who joined the party at Castle Haynes: President J. A. Taylor, of the Chamber of Commerce; Mr. A. B. Skelding, general manager of the Tidewater Power Company; Mr. M. J. Heyer, president of the Southern National Bank; Mr. Geo. B. Elliott, general counsel of Atlantic Coast Line; Messrs. John Brown and D. L. Gore, of the Wilmington Chamber of Commerce. The party took the carriages and drove around the colony, a distance of two miles or more, and returned to the home of Superintendent H. A. Rau, where luncheon was served, after which they boarded the automobiles and came to the city, arriving here about 1 o'clock in the afternoon. The visiting Italians were the guests of the Carolina Trucking Development Company until Sunday afternoon, when they returned to New York, carrying a deep conviction that the colonization project of the company is established on a splendid foundation and that the movement is yet in its incipiency.



OATS AND VETCH, CASTLE HAYNES COLONY.

Castle Haynes.

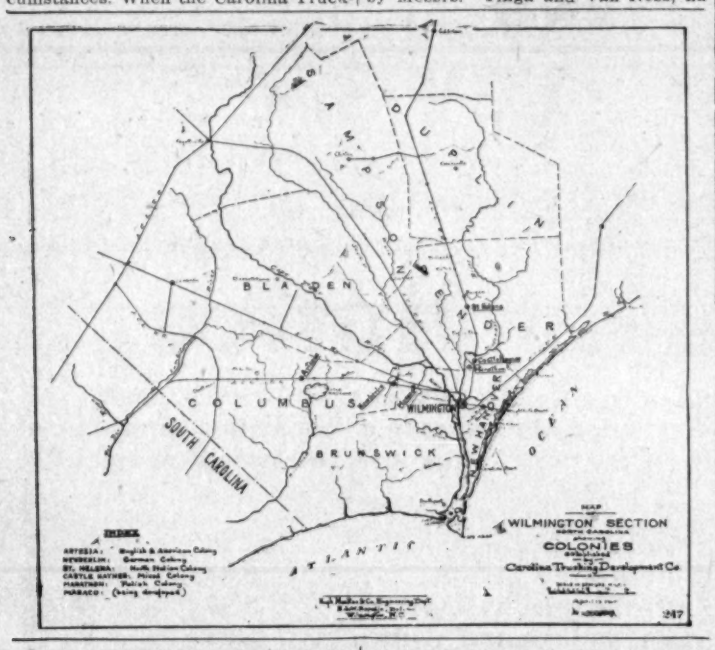
This is known as a mixed colony and was started about the same time as St. Helena. It is located on the W. & W. branch of the Coast Line, nine miles from Wilmington. The colony embraces an area of 2,000 acres, about one-third of which is cleared and under cultivation, and lies between Prince George Creek and the Northeast Cape Fear river and west of the railroad.

In the colony are found Americans, English, Dutch, Hungarians, Germans and Norwegians and from appearances the people are in very prosperous circumstances. When the Carolina Trucking Development Company purchased handsome residences, two stores and a half years ago there was scarcely anything at Castle Haynes except a railroad station. Today there are several handsome residence, two stores and a postoffice in the town site, besides, of course, a large number of dellings scattered over the colony. The town site was laid out some time ago; shade trees have been set out and a portion of the streets have been macadamized.

A school house, built by public subscriptions secured in Wilmington with the aid of about $100 from the Board of Education, was used the past year, and under the efficient care of the teaacher, Miss Chambers, the pupils, about 50 in number, made a most creditable showing. The building is located just west of the railroad station.

The company maintains at the home of Superintendent H. A. Rau, who has proven himself a very valuable man in that capacity, a stable of mules for the use of the settlers. In this connection the large increase in the shipments of the large increase in he shipments of truck from Castle Haynes. The shipments during the past Spring amounted to 6,000 packages of vegetables, which is several times as much as was shipped the first year of the life of the colony. The colonists have begun the growing of scuppernong grapes, and have at the present time 15 acres under cultivation. The vines are young as yet, but will bear some this year. The company succeeded in getting a patch of alfalfa started here similar to the one at St. Helena and another year will see this valuable forage raised throughout the colony. The superintendent is conducting a very interesting peach orchard experiment near the barn. There are a large number of varieties and all seem to be doing well.

There are two very interesting nurseries here and they have progressed beyond the experimental stage. Te Horticultural Company, is composed of two Dutchmen, Messrs. A. Van Leeuwen and H. H. DeWildt, whose homes are in Worcester, Mass., where they have an extensive landscape gardening interest. They have also done a considerable amount of landscape work in Wilmington, among their patrons being the Cape Fear Club, Major E. W. VanC. Lucas and a number of others, besides doing some work at Winter Park Gardens. They devote a considerable portion of their time to their nursery and have been successful with it. The Holland Nursey, is owned by Messrs. Tinga and Van Ness, natives of Holland, who give practically all of their time and attention to the work, which has proven a great success. The nurseries are probably the most interesting special features in connection with the colony. The crops raised here are about the same as in the other colonies and the yield this year was splendid.



Marathon.

Just across Prince George Creek, to the south of Castle Haynes, is the Marathon colony, inhabited by Polish people. There are about 1,500 acres of land in the colony, some of which is located on the macadam road, from which it can be seen that the farmers have splendid gardens and truck patches. There are not a very large number of people living in this colony at the present time, but a big portion of the land has been sold, and will be occupied later by the owners, who are now living at the mines in Pennsylvania and are only waiting until they have paid their last installment upon the property before moving Southward. They hope to have the mortgages raised when they pack up and leave for Marathon. They have made a number of payments and some will get a full title to their property in a short time when they will transfer their residence. This colony was started in 1907 and is one of the most prosperous of the younger colonies.

New Berlin.

On the Wl. C. & A. division of the Atlantic Coast Line, 19 miles west of Wilmington, is located the New Berlin colony, in which about 100 Germans reside. The first settlers arrived at New Berlin in 1906 when the territory was all woodland. A saw mill has been busy in the colony for three years and now there are between 300 and 400 acres of cleared land, about 100 of which is planted in berries, grapes and vegetables. The saw mill is still at work and in a short time much more of the 3,000 acres in the colony will be cleared and ready for cultivation. There is a railroad station, telegraph and postoffice at New Berlin. The colony is included in a special school tax district and the school house is located only about a mile from where a majority of the colonists live. Mr. B. F. Applewhite is the very efficient superintendent. Under the direction of the company he is conducting a test strawberry field in which 200 different varieties have been planted. The plants are being developed and tested for use in the colony and the second year shows the berries to be doing as well as was expected by the company.

Artesia.

Thirty-nine miles west of Wilmington is located the Artesia colony, which received its name from the fact that it is an easy matter to secure an artesian well in that section, many of the settlers having flowing wells on their farms. In 1906 the company opened up this land and settled it with English people, who proved to be undesirable and unsatisfactory and these people were later supplanted by Dutch and Hungarians. The land in and around the colony is considered especially good, being similar to that of the great berry growing section of Chadbourn. There are 100 people in the colony and they have the advantage of a modern school, the building for which was erected in the center of the colony at a cost of about $1,500 and has two rooms. There is also a railroad station, postoffice, two saw mills and three stores in the colony. Mr. C. L. Braddy is the superintendent in charge.

A striking example of industry is shown by what has been accomplished by John Heinzl, a Hungarian, who purchased 73 acres of land in the colony a year ago. During that time he has cleared every acre, planted and cultivated 15 acres in crops, and erected for himself a handsome home at a cost of $1,500.

A majority of the people in this colony are Hollanders, coming here direct from Holland, last Fall. They are expert farmers and the company expects them to make an excellent showing within two years. There are about 10,000 acres available for this colony.

HARVESTING FORAGE, CASTLE HAYNES COLONY.

CULTIVATING BEANS, ST. HELEN A COLONY.

Maraco.

Maraco is a new and unsettled tract of land, containing about 10,000 acres, on the Atlantic Coast Line, about 14 miles west of Wilmington. This will probably be the next colony opened by the company. Already there has been built there a railroad station, school house and Catholic church. A number of natives live in the community, but no families are located on the tract set apart by the company for planting a colony. A saw mill will likely be put into operation on the land in a short time. It is the purposse of the company to ettle this colony with Northern Italians and conduct it on the order of the settlement at St. Helena. The plans have already been worked out and the first settlers will be taken there in a short time.

SIDELIGHTS ON COLONISTS

Some Interesting Observations Regarding Individual Settlers—Unique Characters—Well-to-do Hungarian.

There are a number of interesting and unique characters in each of the colonies of the Carolina Trucking Development Company, though it would be hard in some instances for a casual visitor to single them out from the other members.

In the Castle Haynes colony there is a Hungarian, Mr. Brezan by name, who is in independent circumstances and is probably the wealthiest man in any of the colonies. Judging from his appearance one would not take him to be a person of any considerable means. Mr. Brezan moved his family to Castle Haynes from Pennsylvania. In making payment on his place he offered the company some Hungarian money and he found that it was worth more in United States money than he thought. He was advised by the company to convert what he had left into American money and deposit it in one of the local banks. A few days later he returned to Wilmington and carried into one of the banks 12,000 krones in Hungarian paper money. The fact that his appearance did not indicate that he was a man of any wealth is probably the reason why he had managed to safely keep so much money on his person during the several years he had resided in America. Mr. Brezan has ample means for making a big success and he will doubtless become one of the most prosperous members of the community.

One of the most aggressive progressive colonists is Mr. John Heinzl, of Artesia, reference to whom is made in another column, who has 73 acres of land. He is a Hungarian and has plenty of pluck and energy. When he moved to Artesia a little more than a year ago his land was all woods. His first efforts were toward the erection of a comfortable house, after which he cleared the entire tract of land and put down a flowing artesian well. He has used on his place with great success a mechanical stump-puller. He has about 15 acres of land under cultivation and has some modern farming implements and several head of stock. It is doubtful if his record is equalled by any other colonist. His success is assured. The Hollanders in the Artesia colony have been there only a few months, but they are making rapid progress and their farms show that they are handled by men who thoroughly understand their business. There is no doubt but that in another year there will be signs of progress equal to that of the two farms of Hollanders in the Castle Haynes colony, where the two nurseries, spoken of in another column, and owned by the Hollanders, are perhaps the most interesting features of the colony.

An especially interesting character at St. Helena is Ginesio Berto. When he arrived in New York on his way to the colony he appeared so old and infirm that he was at first refused admittance to the United States. The company had to give bond to insure his not becoming a public charge before he was allowed to proceed to his destination. He has proven to be one of the most successful and hard-working farmers in the colony, and he is certainly one of the happiest. Even the casual visitor is impressed with the happy expression on the face of this old but industrious colonist. After being at St. Helena a short time he sent over for his four grown sons and their families, who are also meeting with great success. He and his boys have 30 acres of land, all of which is in an excellent state of cultivation. The old man has saved up a considerable sum during his residence in the colony.

There are a number of interesting families in the Polish colony at Marathon. One of these is composed of the father and mother and two children, brother and sister of a prominent and wealthy Polish priest who lives in Braddock, Pa. The family owns one of the largest farms to be found in any of the colonies. They expect to make a specialty of grapes, and have a thriving young vineyard covering between 30 and 40 acres. The young lady is well educated, speaks English and Polish equally well, and has had practically the entire management of the farm, except during the last few months when she was attending a boarding school for young ladies in Pittsburg.

Mr. Frederick Strasser is one of the most progressive of the New Berlin colonists. He arrived there about a year ago, erected his own house and began to make his farm out of the wilderness. He has cleared and fenced about 20 acres of land, nearly all of which is in fine state of cultivation. The appearance of his place indicates that he will be one of the most successful settlers in the German colony, and he is perfectly satisfied with the results so far obtained.

The appearance of the farm of the Janicki family, whose place lies on the macadamized road, attracts the attention of all travelers of that thoroughfare. The manner in which the 10-acre farm, the greater part of which is undér cultivation, is kept, shows plainly that the members of the family, besides being thrifty and industrious, are familiar with the farming business. Directly across the road from this place is located the Dunajcan family, composed of the father and mother and thirteen children. Their farm is also attractively kept.

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PACKING STRAWBERRIES FOR NORTHERN MARKETS.

NEW COLONIZATION SCHEME

Famous Holland Physician, Backed by Wealthy New Yorkers, to Start Colony in Pender County. Details of Plan.

Dr. Frederick VanEden, of Amsterdam, Holland, and associates, have secured an option on 10,000 acres of land in Pender county, for the purpose of planting a colony of Hollanders, the first of whom will arrive in a short time, and the colony will be under the supervision of the officers of the Carolina Trucking Development Company, although the plan upon which it will be conducted is quite different from the plans which govern the colonies started by the company. Dr. VanEden is now in Holland selecting the first settlers.

A few words regarding Dr. VanEden might not be out of place just here. He is a famous Hollander, a physician and writer of note, and in his home country has a wide reputation. His medical practice brought him an annual income of over a $100,000 which he has given up in order to become more closely identified with a work designed to benefit the poorer classes of the people of his native land and through co-operative methods get the people who are starving to death in the cities located on farms, where they may be independent. Dr. VanEden did a great deal of practical work of this kind in Holland, having started several co-operative colonies like the one proposed for Pender county. His efforts in Holland were not crowned with that degree of success he hopes to achieve in this country, owing to the over-crowded condition of even the rural districts. He came to the conclusion that in order to get the best results from his scheme he would have to take his people to another country where there was more room. He came to America and while in New York learned something of the work being done in this section by the Carolina Trucking Development Company. He arranged to see Mr. Hugh MacRae in that city and was extended an invitation to visit North Carolina and make a personal investigation.

He found a tract of land in Pender county that he thought especially adapted to carry out his colonization scheme and the 10,000 acres were secured by him. He returned to New York, where he enlisted the sympathy and substantial aid of a large number of the millionaire philanthropists. It was announced in a New York dispatch to The Star under date of May 3rd that the enterprise would have $1,000,000 behind it, there being 50 or 100 investors.

The plans for the colony have been worked out in detail and considerable progress has been made toward beginning operations. The scheme differs from that of the Carolina Trucking Development Company in that no title to the property is given the settlers. The plan has been tried before and its progress in this section will be watcher with interest not only by those directly concerned, but by the people generally. Each man who locates on one of the tracts of the colony will be given a life lease on his farm upon which he settles, but the increment of land values owing to increase in population will belong to the entire community as will all public works. The rents paid in by the individuals will be raised as the land val-

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ues increase and the funds thus obtained will be used to establish schools, churches, build roads, water works, etc. There will be co-operation in the purchase of supplies and in selling the products of the farm.

It is the intention to make the beginning in agriculture and then gradually work up until everything that a civilized people may require can be produced and manufactured in the colony.

THE MEN BEHIND THE ENTERPRISE

The colonization scheme of the Carolina Trucking Development Company of Wilmington, N. C. was conceived by Mr. Hugh MacRae, chairman of the board of directors of the Carolina Trucking Development Company, who has used his wealth to finance it and his unbounded energy to successfully establish it. To him is due the full credit for the courage in undertaking the work, which is designed to be of such great benefit to North Carolina, the eastern section in particular. Mr. MacRae has been in close touch with the enterprise and his judgment is sought in all matters of consequence pertaining to the colonies.

Mr. MacRae was born in Moore county, this State, in 1864, and received his education at Bingham school and the Massachusetts Institute of Technology at Boston, Mass. His father was a descendant of a family of sturdy Scotch who were among the early settlers in North Carolina and was prominent in business and social circles in Wilmington for many years.

Soon after leaving college Mr. MacRae went to the western part of North Carolina, where he was engaged in mica mining, but stayed there only a few years, removing to Wilmington, where he has been active in business affairs and in building up the community. He organized the local gas, electric lighting and street and suburban railway companies into the Consolidated Railways, Light and Power Company, and later effected a re-organization of the properties under the Tidewater Power Company, of which he is the president. He is also largely interested in the Wilmington Cotton Mills; the beautiful mountain resort at Linville, in the extreme western portion of the State. Also for the past few years he has been active in the development of water powers on the Yadkin and Savannah rivers.

MR HUGH MacRAE.

In 1900 he organized the firm of Hugh MacRae & Co., bankers and brokers, of Wilmington, and also has offices in the magnificent Singer Building, New York City, where he has spent much of his time recently. Since he undertook the gigantic colonization project Mr. MacRae has found time from his various other exacting duties to keep in close touch with all the work and has been responsible for its policies.

Mr. MacRae is one of Wilmington's most prominent and popular citizens and has done more for the upbuilding of Wilmington and this section of the State than is in the province of this brief sketch to give the proper mention.

MAJOR E. W. VanC. LUCAS.

Major E. W. VanC. Lucas is the president of the Carolina Trucking Development Company and is numbered among Wilmington's most prominent citizens. He was born in New York in 1865 and attended the United States Military Academy, West Point, N. Y., from which he graduated in 1887 as second Lieutenant in the Engineers Corps. He served in San Francisco and Willet's Point, N. Y., and was for a while instructor of military engineering at West Point.

In 1891 he was advanced to first lieutenant and until July of 1895 he was engaged in river and harbor work in North and South Carolina, with headquarters in this city. He was then transferred to Willet's Point where he served for three years as Captain of Engineers, in 1898 advancing to Major and Chief Engineer, U. S. Volunteers, and during the Spanish-American war he served at Tampa and Ferdinandina, Fla., Athens, Ga., and Greenville, S. C.

He was transferred to the regular army engineer corps in 1899 and was in charge of important levee work on the Mississippi river until 1905. In that year he became Major of the United States Engineer Corps and in the same year resigned from the army to become president of the Carolina Trucking Development Company and was in active charge of its affairs during the year all of the colonies were started. In 1906 he became a member of the firm of Hugh MacRae & Co., and was actively engaged in the development of water powers on the Savannah river. Since 1906 he has been active in the Carolina Trucking Development Company's affairs in an advisory capacity.

MR. C. VanLEUVEN.

MR. M. F. H. GOUVERNEUR.

Mr. M. F. H. Gouverneur, first vice president of the Company, was born in 1869 in Loudoun county, Virginia, and was educated at the technological school in Baltimore, Md., later taking courses in practical mechanics in the shops of the B. & O. Railroad and the shops of the General Electric Company at Schenectady, N. Y. Following this he was engaged in experimental work with Thomas Edison at his laboratory in Menlo Park, N. J. He came to Wilmington as superintendent of the street railways and then became general manager, and later vice president of the Tidewater Power Company, which position he still holds. He became a member of the firm of Hugh MacRae & Co., several years ago. He was absent from Wilmington on leave twice—once when he reorganized the street railway system in Knoxville, Tenn., which was owned by William McAdoo; and again when he reorganized the street railway system in Yonkers, N. Y. He has recently been active in the development of water powers on the Yadkin and Savannah rivers. He was most actively identified with the work of the Carolina Trucking Development Company during the time of acquisition of lands for the colonization, and has since been closely in touch with its work in an advisory capacity.

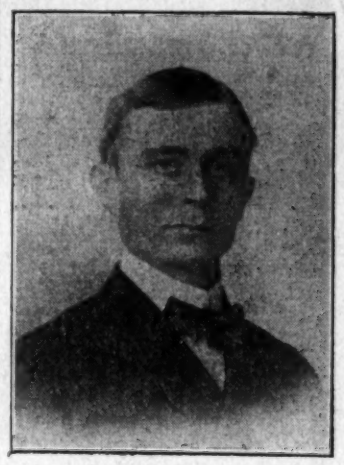
MR. C. L. FISHER.

MR. C. VAN-LEUVEN.

Mr. C. VanLeuven, second vice president, is a native of New York, having been born at Kingston in 1880. He was educated at Rutgers College, New Brunswick, N. J., and later took post-graduate work at the Ohio State University. He has been employed since leaving college in a technical capacity in several places—first with the Western Electric Company in New York, later as assistant superintendent of construction on the Elizabeth port, New Jersey, shops of the Central Railroad of New Jersey. Following that he was connected with the management of a large fire brick plant at South River, N. J., and then became manager of the brick works at Cronly, N. C. He became associated with the Carolina Trucking Development Company three and one-half years ago when the work was just beginning and for the past three years has had active management of the business, and has been closely identified with the development of the several colonies.

MR. C. L. FISHER.

Mr. C. L. Fisher, general agent of the Carolina Trucking Development Company, is a native of Illinois, having been born in Bond county in 1872. He received his education in St. Louis, Mo., and then went into the employ of the Wabash Railroad. Later he went into the advertising business with the Bert-Ball Advertising Company. In 1904 he organized the Fisher-Steinbruegge Advertising Company of St. Louis. His firm handled the advertising work of the Carolina Trucking Development Company in 1905 and Mr. Fisher was responsible for the movement of several large western parties to this section. In 1907 he left his business in the hands of his partner and became connected with the colonization business as general agent. He went to Europe and opened up a number of excellent fields for obtaining farmers for North Carolina lands. After his return to the United States he took up the advertising work of the company and the organization of agencies. He has been closely identified with the development of the several colonies.



MAJ. E. W. VanC. LUCAS.

MR. R. M. SHEPPARD.

Mr. R. M. Sheppard, secretary of the company, was born in Moore county, N. C., in 1877, and has been located in Wilmington and associated in business with Mr. Hugh MacRae for the past ten years. He has been active in the colonization work besides being secretary of the Consolidated Railways, Light & Power Company, secretary of the Linville Improvement Company, and secretary of the Investment Trust Company.

MR. R. M. SHEPPARD.

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REFORESTATION OF LANDS

Rapid Depletions of Forests Has Given New Line of Endeavor For Forestry Service of National Government.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Washington, D. C., July 31.—The yellow pines of the Eastern and Southern States are being cut at the rate of 13,000,000,000 board feet a year. The total stand at this time is approximately 400,000,000,00 board feet.

One discouraging condition on cutover lands in the Southern States is the lack, for various causes, of adequate young growth. Much of the cutover land has grown up to scrub oaks with very little or widely scattered pine reproduction. A realization of these unfavorable conditions is becoming apparent all through the South, and there is a manifest interest in reforesting such lands.

Successful renewal of Southern pine forest lands depends essentially upon conservative lumbering and adequate protection from fire. The problem of fire protection, however, is both a serious and a difficult one.

Reforestation of Southern pine lands can probably be effected by direct seeding, but such efforts would prove futile unless the lands were protected against fire. The Forest Service has made plans for several private landowners and companies in the South for direct sowing of pine seed on the permanent sites. Because of the more rapid growth of loblolly pine it is preferred where the soil and moisture conditions are favorable. The feasibility of establishing loblolly pine plantations by sowing seed broadcast, on prepared ground, has been determined by experiments and by observation on the natural reseeding of this tree on abandoned fields. The perpetuation of loblolly pine on sites suited to it is therefore not a matter of much concern. But there are vast acres on which the less exacting but slower growing longleaf pine is the only one that will thrive. Artificial regeneration of long leaf pine, either by sowing seed or by transplanting seedlings, is still in the experimental stage. Longleaf pine seedlings grow very slowly in height for the first four to six years, but in the meantime develop long, fleshy taproots. This habit of growth makes it very difficult to transplant them successfully and makes some method of direct seeding necessary.

A planting plan for the lands of the Graniteville Manufacturing Company, Graniteville, S. C., has just been prepared by the Forest Service. The plan provides for direct seeding of loblolly and longleaf pines on about 500 acres. It recommends that loblolly pine seed be sown broadcast on the cleaned lands which occur on the lower slopes. Longleaf pine seed is to be planted on the high sandy land in seeds spots, prepared about six feet apart each way. The plan also includes detailed directions for preparing the ground and sowing the seed.

It is estimated that the cost of planting will be about $8.50 per acre for broadcast sowing of loblolly pine and about $6.35 per acre for seed spot planting of longleaf pine. A conservative estimate of the time required to produce merchantable crops, the yield of each pine and the total cost of producing lumber, per thousand board feet, compounding the initial investment at four per cent. are about as follows:

Loblolly pine, forty-year rotation, 19,000 board feet per acre; cost per M board feet, $3.65.

Longleaf pine, seventy-year rotation, 17,000 board feet per acre; cost per M board feet, $9.67.

Thus anything above $3.65 for loblolly stumpage will be in excess of four per cent compound interest on the investment. It is also apparent that unless the stumpage value for longleaf pine advances considerably, plantations of this pine will yield considerably less than a four per cent return. On the basis of the estimate the cost at three per cent compound interest would be $4.47 per M. board feet.

THE UNITED WIRELESS.

Announcement by Fiscal Agent Duncan of Advance in Stock.

W. E. Duncan, State fiscal agent of the United Wireless Telegraph Company, with offices in Wilmington, has received official notice to the effect that the selling price of United Wireless 7 per cent. preferred participating stock, which is now selling at $30 a share, will be advanced several dollars a share between August 1st, and 15th. This stock is said to have advanced 400 per cent. within the past year, the increases being based upon the increasing value of United Wireless securities.

Attention is called to the advertisement in the United Wireless Telegraph Company on another page of this issue.

The progress made by the United Wireless Telegraph Company within the past few weeks, its rapid strides toward further development on both land and sea, is said to be unprecedented, the company now having in operation wireless telegraph stations on board 171 vessels on 51 steamship lines and 72 land stations. The company announces that its net earnings for the past month show a material increase over previous months.

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WEEK OF SOUTHERN INDUSTRY

Reports to Manufacturers' Record Indicate Increased Activity in Nearly All Lines—Many New Enterprises Announced.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Baltimore, July 29.—The past week was active in Southern industrial progress, there having been numerous important announcements of new enterprises and plans for the extension of existing plants. The numerous detailed reports in the Manufacturers' Record include the following:

Capt. R. F. Kolb, of Anniston, Ala., and associates will organize the Shin Bone Valley Iron and Timber Co. with a capital stock of $600,000 to develop iron, manganese, graphite, mica and kaolin properties and 25,000 acres of timber land. The Entwistle Manufacturing Co., Rockingham, N. C., incorporated with a capital stock of $1,000,000 for the purpose of building a cotton mill of 40,000 spindles and 1,000 looms. The Hopkins County Coal Co., Nortonville, Ky., will be organized with a capital stock of $250,000 to develop 3,000 acres of coal lands and additional coal properties. The Brown's Creek Land and Coal Co., Welch, W. Va., was incorporated with a capital stock of $100,000 by West Virginia and Pennsylvania parties. The Deer Creek Lumber Co., Cass, W. Va., recently incorporated with $75,000 capital, announced it will build a saw mill with a daily output of 50,000 feet of lumber. The Tennessee Timber, Coal and Iron Co., main offices in Boston, announces it is planning to execute contracts with companies which will develop coal, timber and other properties in Kentucky; this company was incorporated some time ago by New England capitalists. The Dubach Lumber Co., Dubach, La., was incorporated with a capital stock of $150,000. The Thompson Bros. Lumber Co., Houston, Tex., increased its capital stock from $600,000 to $2,100,000, purchased 500,000,000 feet of timber and will build a $300,000 saw mill with a daily capacity of 100,000 feet of lumber. The Cole Manufacturing Co., Charlotte, N. C., manufacturer of farm implements, will build a new plant comprising six reinforced-concrete buildings, etc., to cost $50,000. The Farmers Oil and Fertilizer Co., Texarkana, Ark., was incorporated with a capital stock of $100,000. The Beaver Dam Mills, Edgefield, S. C., will be incorporated with a capital stock of $200,000 to acquire and double the 5,000-spindle and 2228 loom plant heretofore known as the Edgefield Manufacturing Co. The Kirby Lumber Co., Houston, Texas, will rebuild its $300,000 mills, dry kilns, etc., which were burned last week at Browndel. The Red Cypress Shingle Co., Lafayette, La., was organized and will establish a mill with a daily output of 100,000 shingles. The Dacotah, the Nokomis and the Wanonah Cotton Mills, Lexington, N. C., decided to use electricity for power and awarded contracts for motors, etc., for the transmission of 2,000 horsepower. The Southern Iron and Steel Co., Birmingham, Ala., awarded contracts for machinery in connection with removing its Ensley rod and wire mills to Gadsden and rebuilding there with increased capacity; the buildings will be of brick and steel and with other improvements and machinery will cost $1,000,000; this company has resumed operations at its Altoona coal mines and Crudup Iron Mines. The Hardwood Lumber and Mining Co., Roanoke, Va., plans to build two mills in West Virginia, each to have a daily capacity of 25,000 feet of lumber. The Aripeka Saw Mills, Pivay, Fla., now operating large mills, will build two additional plants at a cost of $250,000 each. The American Bag Company, Memphis Tenn., will organize a $250,000 company to build a mill for manufacturing bag cloth.

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Men's $2.50 Shoes and Oxfords in all leathers reduced to **1.89**

Men's $1.50 and $1.75 Shoes, we are overstocked on this shoe. They must move, Cut for this sale to **1.19**

Ladies' Oxfords and Shoes—We are heavily overstocked in the best grades, in all leathers, patent ankle strap Pumps, vici kid, tan and gun metals, all to go at ridiculously low prices.

$3.50 Herrick Oxfords $2.49
$2.50 Herrick Oxfords $1.69
$1.75 Shoes and Oxfords.....$1.39
$1.50 Shoes and Oxfords.....$1.19

We are especially prepared for the working men and farmers. All kinds of working shoes to be sold ridiculously cheap.

Children's straight Pants and Knickerbockers and Bloomers, all kinds of serges, **Khaki bloomers, the boys' favorite,** Worsteds and Cheviots, all reduced to the following scale:

50c Pants to 38c
75c Pants to.....58c
$1.00 Pants to 73c
[illegible]25 Pants to 98c
[illegible] Pants to $1.29
[illegible]. D. Underwear, short sleeve and short [illegible]rawers, reduced to **38c**
[illegible]rgan and Porosnit Underwear, short and long sleeves, [illegible]s to match, [illegible]ed to **19c**
[illegible]'s Hemstitched Handkerchiefs, 10c quality.....6c
Men's Handkerchiefs, fine quality to.....11c

The greatest clothing opportunity ever offered the public of Wilmington and surrounding country.

Don't fail to visit our Trunk Department. We have the largest assortment of trunks, suit cases and bags. Let us show you the newest styles.

Now is the time to supply your wants for 6 months to come. Your dollar will positively do double duty.

Look for the two large blue canvas fronts next to Front Street Market House.

Silk Mufflers and Handkerchiefs, large assortment, all reduced 50 per cent.

100 dozen Hemstitched Handkerchiefs, white, not more than ten to one customer, Sale price 1c

50c Negligee Shirts, with or without collar, big assortment, sale price 39c
50c Neckties 39c
25c Neckties 19c

MEN'S SOX.

Holeproof Hosiery, insured Sox, the only genuine guaranteed Hose on the market, per box, six pair.....$1.29
Men's Sox, 10c kind, this sale.....6c
Men's 25c Lisle thread Hose, this sale.....19c
Men's 50c Imported Lisle Hose, this sale.....39c

REMEMBER THE DATE: SATURDAY, JULY 31st, AT 8 O'CLOCK A. M.

No Goods Sold on Credit During This Sale

J. W. H. FUCHS

128 to 136 South Front Street. Look for the Big Blue Sign.

No Goods Will Be Charged During This Sale